WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity, and Vancouver and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh south and west winds; partly cloudy and mild, with occasional rain.
Juan de Fuca to Estevan—Moderate to fresh southerly winds; cloudy and mild; rain.

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BANDITS ROB BEER PARLOR IN VANCOUVER

Two Gunmen Hold Up Four Employees and Escape With $600

CUSTOMER AIDS IN CAPTURING SUSPECT

VANCOUVER, Jan. 3 (C.).—A man was being questioned by police early today after two bandits, one armed with an automatic pistol, had held up four employees in the Castle Hotel beer parlor, Granville Street, and escaped with an estimated sum of $626.

Police believe the bandits hid in the establishment until after closing time, for it was shortly after the doors had been locked for the night that the men made their appearance. The armed bandit held the four bartenders at bay with the gun while the other scooped the money from the cash register.

PATRONS FOLLOW

Two men, who were in the washroom when the holdup occurred, noticed that something was amiss, and as the bandits left by the back door, the two customers followed.

The bandits separated, each going in a different direction. The customers followed one of the men and they reported they saw him enter a rooming house on Robson Street a few blocks distant. The other bandit disappeared.

MAN FOUND HIDING

The two reported the holdup to police, who immediately went to the rooming house, but were unsuccessful in their search until they went to the attic, where a man was found hiding. A gun, loaded with dummy bullets, was found at the bottom of the stairs in the rooming house, apparently tossed there by the gunman.

The man surrendered to officers without a struggle and was taken to headquarters, while other officers began an intensive search of the vicinity for his companion who escaped with the money.

SIXTH DEMAND IS SUBMITTED

Cold Storage Company's Claim on City Guarantee Now Totals $210,000

The Victoria Cold Storage & Terminal Warehouse, Ltd., yesterday served its sixth demand upon the city for payment of the guarantee on its $500,000 debenture issue.

The demand was made in connection with the filing of the company's annual financial statement, which this year, unlike last year, disclosed a deficit.

Recognition of the demand by the city would mean that Victoria would have to pay 7 per cent on the $500,000, or a maximum of $35,000. Under the by-law passed six years ago, the city guaranteed the company a net profit of 7 per cent of $500,000, or a maximum amount of $35,000. This means that if a profit of 2 per cent were obtained by the company on its operations, the city would have to make up the remaining 5 per cent.

CITY'S STAND

Ever since the company has been presenting its demands, the city has contended that it was not legally obligated to fulfil the guarantee on the grounds that the Cold Storage company had not fulfilled its share of the contract.

The Victoria Cold Storage & Terminal Warehouse, Ltd., now claims a total of $210,000, being the aggregate annual amounts that would have been paid by the city under ordinary circumstances.

For some time the possibility of litigation has been discussed, but with the filing of the latest annual report and a further demand for fulfillment of a guarantee, court action appeared to be more certain.

SAVED BUILDING BY THROWING SNOWBALLS

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Jan. 2 (AP.).—Several small boys put their snowballs to a practical use yesterday and saved a barn from destruction by fire. Firemen, who credited the boys with the feat, said the youths showered the barn's blazing roof with snowballs until fire trucks arrived.

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Safety Campaign Makes Death List Lower in Britain

LONDON, Jan. 2 (AP). — A strenuous highway safety campaign conducted by Leslie Hore - Belisha, Minister of Transport, resulted in 822 fewer deaths in road crashes in the United Kingdom during 1935 than in the previous year, it was officially announced tonight. The figures showed 6,521 persons were killed and 218,798 injured in traffic accidents last year.

TWO CHARGED WITH MUTINY

Master of British Ship Puts Back to Havana After Serious Incident

HAVANA, Jan. 2 (AP).—A story of an attempted mutiny on the high seas was brought here tonight by Captain C. F. Bennett, master of the British freighter Baron Graham, who brought his ship back to Havana several hours after she had sailed for Sagua, Cuba.

Two British seamen, William Morris and Robert M. Jones, were held by port police on charges of mutiny.

In a report to port police, Captain Bennett said shortly after the Baron Graham sailed from Havana today, Morris and Jones appeared on the bridge and tried to take command of the vessel.

He said the ship was about twenty miles out of Havana at the time and that he immediately wirelessed Havana port police. The ship was turned about and headed for Havana.

URGES OTHERS TO JOIN

Jones called the other members of the crew before him, the captain charges, and made a speech urging them to join the mutiny.

Captain Bennett said Jones had no success in his pleas but that Morris continued to try to take over the ship.

The freighter sailed again at midnight.

The two seamen were held under arrest at a hospital, where they were being treated for bruises and injuries suffered when they allegedly resisted arrest.

Captain Bennett said the two men were intoxicated.

CHURCH PARTY RATHER ROUGH

Pulpit Smashed and Bible Torn to Bits in Profane Festivities

RIDGETOWN, Ont., Jan. 2 (C.).—Provincial Police, called in by indignant church people, opened an investigation today into a wild New Year's party held in the United Church at nearby Palmyra. It was a beer party.

When the chairman of the church's official board, W. T. Street, visited the church today he found the pulpit smashed, collection plates broken and the pulpit Bible torn to bits. He at once reported the sacrilege to police.

The pulpit, carpets, pew seats and walls had been splashed with beer. The Bible's torn pages were strewn over the church aisles.

In order to carry on services, the church board has been forced to borrow a pulpit, Bible and collection plates from the Baptist Church, also situated in the village, and whose congregation next Sunday will also meet in the United Church at a separate hour from the United Church congregation.

Search Ship On Her Way To Antarctic

DUNEDIN, N.Z., Jan. 2 (AP.).—A steamship dispatched by the British and Australian Governments sailed today for the Antarctica to search for Lincoln Ellsworth, United States explorer, who has been missing for more than a month, and his Canadian pilot.

Two airplanes were aboard the vessel, Discovery II, along with large supplies of food and medicine. The 1,036-ton ship will go to the Bay of Whales, in the Ross Sea.

Winnipeg Control Is Held by Labor

WINNIPEG, Jan. 2 (C.).—Labor retained control over Winnipeg's civic administration at the first 1936 meeting of the City Council today. Four Independent Labor party members were named to chairmanships of standing committee, and Labor majorities were maintained on most committees and commissions.

Rioting Students Burn Cairo Street Car

This Is All That Was Left of a Cairo Street Car After Rioting Students Had Wrecked It and Set It on Fire. Several British Police Officers Were Wounded in the Clashes, but With the Promise of a New Constitution the Egyptians Have Quieted Down.

Canadian Tariff Board Likely to Have Powers Extended by Parliament

Undertakings Given in Recent Trade Treaties Indicate Changes Planned

MAY ACT AS SORT OF ARBITER ON DUTIES

OTTAWA, Jan. 2 (C.).—New powers as a sort of tariff arbiter between the Canadian Government and foreign countries will be exercised by the Canadian Tariff Board when full effect is given to the trade notes exchanged recently between Canada and Japan and the Canadian note to the United States in connection with the reciprocity treaty.

Experts hold to the opinion that the Japanese note introduces something new in customs administration in that it gives authority to a board to review and perhaps alter or cancel the decision of a minister of the Crown. Just how this will be worked out has not been decided, but it will likely involve revision of the Customs Act or the Tariff Board Act at the next session of Parliament.

POWERS BEING EXTENDED

It appears that the powers of the board are being further extended. When it was established, its main function was to hear requests for revision of tariff rates and report findings to the Government.

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Hermes Is Harbinger of Spring To Victoria in January

HERMES is here. Hermes is a happy omen of sunshine and early Spring. The little fellow was fluttering about the garden of H. English in the Burnside district yesterday and was induced to visit The Colonist editorial rooms.

Hermes is a butterfly—a beautiful little fellow with yellow and dark brown wings—who is confident that Winter in Victoria, where golf is played every day of the year, is preferable to Spring in less favored climes. In fact, Hermes felt as secure on January 2 in the balmy atmosphere of Vancouver Island as he would on a mid-Summer day elsewhere.

After making his bow to members of the editorial staff, Hermes was escorted to an open window, and with a preliminary flutter of his wings on the sill, flew gaily away.

Extensive Damage in England and France Is Causd by Floods

Hundreds Are Made Homeless and Property Loss Reaches Millions in Thames Valley—Farms And Towns in Brittany Inundated

LONDON, Jan. 2 (CP-Havas).—The worst flood in recent years sweeping through the Upper Thames Valley tonight left hundreds of persons homeless and caused property damage estimated at several million dollars not far from the environs of London.

At Teddington, residents were being removed by police and firemen in rowboats from their homes on the flooded streets.

After several days' continuous rain the weather cleared a few hours today, but falling barometers tonight spread new fears of additional precipitation.

TRAFFIC DIVERTED

Rail traffic on the Great Western Railway's main line to Western England was diverted while emergency workers attempted to reinforce a large bridge in Wiltshire carrying the Devizes-Salisbury road over the tracks. The bridge has threatened to give way.

RENNES, France, Jan. 2 (CP-Havas).—Serious damage was caused throughout Brittany tonight as the Vilaine and Ille rivers overflowed and flooded farms, villages and towns with several feet of water.

Roads in this district were blocked and many persons weer driven from their homes.

SAYS CITY SAVED BY USE OF BOMBS

Volcanologist Credits Aerial Attack With Stopping Flow of Lava On Hilo

HILO, Hawaii, Jan. 2 (AP.).—Aerial bombs were acclaimed today as proved means of saving cities from destruction by volcanic eruptions.

Thomas A. Jaggar, Government volcanologist, in crediting definitely to twenty airplane bombs the turning away of Mauna Loa's lava flow from Hilo, said:

"The bombing experiment proved what can be done to save Hilo and other communities threatened with a lava flow if conducted at the proper time.

"While the eruption was nearing its end, lava was advancing at the rate of a mile a day and no one could say it would not flow eighteen days more at the same rate" (which would have carried the flow into Hilo).

LINDBERGHS REMAIN AT LIVERPOOL HOTEL

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 2 (AP.).—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh inquired about train schedules to Cardiff, Wales, today, but he and his wife and their son, Jon, remained shut up in their hotel suite for another day.

There have been various rumors as to where the Lindberghs plan to go, including one that they will visit Llandaff, Wales, a suburb of Cardiff, in the home of J. Llewellyn Morgan, father of Aubrey Niel Morgan, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Lindbergh.

ALICE ARM MINING HALTED BY FLOOD

PRINCE RUPERT, Jan. 2 (C.). — Mining industry in the Alice Arm area of the Portland Canal district, north of here, is partially paralyzed as a result of recent floods which swept out bridges and trackage on the Dolly Varden Railway, which furnishes passenger and freight transportation between Alice Arm and West Creek.

Every bridge along the sixteen-mile route has been swept away and many miles of track washed out or twisted off the roadbed.

The town of Alice Arm was saved from being swept away when one of the mouths of the Kitsault River broke over the flats above the town and found a new outlet.

SAILORS SLAIN ON TROOPSHIP

Brawl Fatal to Two on Transport on Her Way To Mediterranean

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GIBRALTAR, Jan. 2.—Two sailors were slain and a third was seriously injured in a brawl with British soldiers aboard the liner Cameronia, being used as a troop transport, an official Government report disclosed today.

The soldiers were put in irons and will be handed over to military authorities when the Cameronia docks at Southampton. The names of those involved were not made public.

The injured survivor, an able-bodied seaman, was taken off the ship here and sent to the army base hospital.

FIGHT BELOW DECKS

A report submitted to authorities here by the ship's commander disclosed details of the incident. It was understood that the trouble was restricted to a small group of soldiers on the transport and a section of the crew. It was indicated the deaths of the sailors occured early on Wednesday below decks.

The Cameronia had taken on troops at a Far Eastern British army station and was at sea bound for the Mediterranean area. The soldiers, it was alleged, started the fight with the sailors.

City Officials Willing to Learn

TORONTO, Jan. 2 (C.).—City officials of Toronto and various surrounding municipalities are among the sixty students, who have tentatively asked for enrollment in the University of Toronto's extension course in public administration next month.

ITALIAN FLYERS BROUGHT DOWN BY ETHIOPIAN SHARPSHOOTERS

Two Planes Put Out of Action on Northern Front—Beheading of Captured Italian Airmen Given as Excuse for Dropping Bombs On Red Cross Unit Recently

Swedish Prince Demands Complete Investigation

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DESSYE, Ethiopia, Jan. 2 (C.).—Six Italian war flyers were killed when Ethiopian sharpshooters brought down two enemy planes on the Northern front, official announcements asserted here tonight.

The reports roused fear in some quarters of further attacks against Red Cross hospitals and first aid stations. It was recalled here that Italian authorities had asserted the bombardment which wrecked the Swedish ambulance unit on the southeastern front near Dolo was in direct retaliation for recent beheading of two Italian pilots, whose plane was brought down at Daggah Bur.

WAS FLYING LOW

Of the two planes shot down, one was crippled by Ethiopian snipers when it flew low over Kebetia, a settlement in the Wolkalt region in Northwestern Ethiopia. Four airmen reportedly died in the crash. They were said to have attacked Kebetia's civil population. The flyers were burned to death in the plane.

Two other Italian airmen were reported killed in a plane which was forced into a crash by a tribal

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War Risk Rates In Mediterranean Reduced a Third

LONDON, Jan. 2 (AP)—Lloyd's underwriters, considering trouble in the Mediterranean more remote, reduced by one-third today their war risk insurances on cargo passing through that locality. The rate of 5 shillings, established in September, was reduced to 3 shillings and 4 pence (about 83 cents) per £100 (about $492) cargo value.

IS MURDERED IN GUN SHOP

William Haynes, Noted Ballistics Expert, Dead After Gunmen's Attack

MONTREAL, Jan. 2 (C.). — Frank Schafer, seventeen, who police claim confessed participation in the holdup and murder of William O. Haynes today, died in hospital tonight from two bullet wounds said to have been self-inflicted with revolvers stolen from Haynes' gunsmith shop.

With the death of Schafer and detention of Joseph Abramowitch, another seventeen-year-old youth, police said their case was completed. Abramowitch was arrested after a chase from the Haynes' gunsmith shop to a restaurant some blocks away.

NO LOOSE ENDS

While combing the city for the second suspect, detectives received a call from a North End gasoline station that a youth had shot himself on the premises. The operatives found Schafer slumped on the floor, two revolvers and a note beside him. One bullet had been fired from each gun. Contents of the note were not revealed, but police claimed "it leaves no loose ends to the murder."

Haynes, widely-known ballistic expert, died of two bullet wounds fired from two different guns. Witnesses said the shooting followed an argument over the price of cleaning a gun which two youths handed Haynes over the counter of his City Hall Avenue shop.

Police learned that both boys had other guns than the one they showed Haynes, and believed they intended to hold Haynes up and rob his safe and cash register.

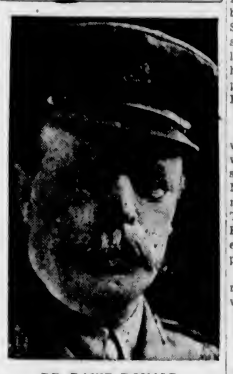
Blast Wrecks Savings Bank In New York

ELMIRA, N.Y., Jan. 2 (AP.).—An interior explosion, believed by police to have been caused by a leak in a gas main, tonight destroyed the three-story Elmira Savings Bank, with a loss estimated conservatively at more than $1,000,000.

Apparently nobody was in the building at the time.

Windows in hotels and business houses for a distance of a block, in three directions, were shattered by the explosion. The bank is located on Water Street, in the heart of the downtown section. The entire front and interior of the white stone structure, built about six years ago, were torn out by the blast.

Physician Will Be Superannuated



DR. DAVID DONALD

WHO is retiring from the City School Board service, has served as school doctor here for thirteen years. Dr. Donald has had wide medical experience here, in France, Africa and England.

SCHOOL DOCTOR VACATES POST

Dr. David Donald Retires After Thirteen Years' Service With City

Dr. David Donald, who for thirteen years has been medical health officer for city schools, has retired from the service, it was announced yesterday at the city school board office.

During the last six months Dr. Donald has suffered from illness which compelled him to withdraw from his work in the hope of regaining health. During his absence, Dr. A. G. Price, former city medical health officer, has been carrying on the school work. Dr. Price will continue in this temporary capacity until such time as a new appointment is made.

Highly respected by fellow members of his profession and the public alike, Dr. Donald's retirement from service will be regretted by all.

WIDE EXPERIENCE

Educated in Scotland and England, Dr. Donald has had a wide experience in the medical field. He served with the British Government in Africa, and during his service there studied many contagious diseases, and practised his profession under trying circumstances at times.

Later he was medical health officer

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APARTMENT TO BE BUILT HERE

Structure to Cost $20,000—Marine Building Plans Are Returned

A new $20,000 apartment house is being planned for Victoria, it was learned from an authoritative source yesterday. The building will be erected on Heywood Avenue for a Shanghai investor, who plans to reside in Victoria.

It will have two stories and a penthouse, the latter part of the building being for the owner's use. The apartment block will have an excellent view of Beacon Hill Park. Draft plans already have been made.

BEING REVISED

It also was learned that the plans and specifications for the new $700,000 Marine Building have been returned to C. Elwood Watkins, architect, from Ottawa for minor revisions, and it is expected that after the revisions have been made, an announcement will be forthcoming in respect to calling for tenders.

Mr. Watkins also has completed revision of plans for the new Oaklands School auditorium. The changes effected are expected to bring the cost down from $11,500 to $8,000. The plans will be submitted to the school board at its inaugural meeting next Wednesday.

FOUND HELPLESS WITH BROKEN LEG

Vancouver Man Has Long Trip Down Mountain Side on Improvised Stretcher

VANCOUVER, Jan. 2 (C.).—Gordon McTavish, fifty-year-old Vancouver resident, was resting in a hospital here tonight after a four and one-half-hour trip down the side of Hollyburn Ridge on an improvised stretcher yesterday.

McTavish slipped on a wet root and fractured his leg. He was found lying helpless in the wet snow by Paul Zuest, another hiker, who summoned help from the nearby West Lake Ski Camp.

Word was sent ahead of the stretcher-bearing party and it was met by an ambulance at the foot of the trail.

Missing Flyers Are Found Safe

CAIRO, Jan. 2 (CP-Havas).—Antoine de Saint Exupery, flying French novelist, who disappeared with his co-pilot three days ago while on a flight from Paris to French Indo-China, was found uninjured today at Wady Natrum, about ninety miles east of here. His companion also was safe.

They were forced down on a desert plateau many miles from any settlement and passed three days in wandering before they were rescued by a band of Arabs.

Fine Progress in British Columbia Mining Confirmed

Gold Worth $14,261,200 and Lead Valued at $10,206,000 Prove Highlights of 1935 Operations in Province—Total Up $5,501,860

HON. G. S. Pearson confirmed yesterday British Columbia mining returns last year valued at approximately $48,000,000. The precise estimate was $47,807,157, to which gold contributed $14,261,200 and lead $10,206,000 for outstanding performances during the period. Zinc was next with $7,862,400, then silver with $5,547,059, and coal with $4,887,500.

Copper worth $2,979,600; structural materials valued at $1,206,400, and miscellaneous metals and minerals bringing $857,000, completed the official estimate of the British Columbia Department of Mines for 1935.

The figures showed a direct gain of $5,501,860 in 1935 over 1934, and a recovery of almost $20,000,000 in the value of mining products since 1932. Copper and coal disclosed the only declines in major production, the former by 16.4 per cent and the latter by 14.6 per cent. Miscellaneous metals were slightly less.

RECORD GOLD YEAR

British Columbia lode gold properties produced 362,350 ounces, worth $13,451,073 in Canadian funds. To this were added 28,000 ounces of placer gold, worth $810,125, for a combined output of 410,350 ounces of gold, the largest on record in the province. During the year the metal had an average value of $35.18, compared with $34.50 in 1934.

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Railway Head Sees Appreciable if Slow Business Recovery

Sir Edward Beatty Reviews Canada's Economic Conditions Over Past Twelve Months—Progress Evident Without Spectacular Trend

By SIR EDWARD BEATTY, G.B.E., K.C., LL.D.
Chairman and President, Canadian Pacific Railway.

ECONOMIC progress in this country gives every evidence of continuing to be a matter of slow but appreciable movement towards stabilizing conditions and increased volume of business recorded in the face of conditions heavily fraught with discouraging factors and seemingly bereft of anything in the nature of large-scale or comprehensive effort towards solution of the most grievous of our economic problems.

It is quite evident that the past year has seen progress. An increased total of Canadian business is recorded in current statistics, more people are employed than were a year ago, and throughout the country there exists, and for some months has made itself felt, a more general feeling of contentment with things as they are and as they promise later to be. Some of this improved feeling is undoubtedly due to betterment of conditions in large agricultural areas where moisture succeeded prolonged drought, ensuring food for stock and general crops that were mostly fair to good.

BETTER GRAIN PRICES

On the top of this an upward turn in grain prices followed by higher quotations in livestock and other farm products contributed towards relief of an extended period of pronounced general agricultural depression. Upon such a basis as this improved business conditions were more or less bound to make themselves felt.

In only a few widely scattered and perhaps highly specialized phases of Canadian industry has there been anything in the nature of a spectacular upward move in profitable activity. The sum total of progress, nevertheless, has been most encouraging and has served to reassure us that under normal and favorable conditions this country can maintain a level of prosperity, which in the past has normally given all classes of our people a reasonably high standard of living.

When times are less than good and unemployment widespread there is perhaps small comfort in the reflection that we are better off than are most other countries.

BASIS FOR ESTIMATE

That thought, however, is important in that it provides a yardstick for the appraisement of our own present situation, and a just basis for estimate of our future. With the exception of Great Britain, no one of the larger countries presents evidence of having advanced so far along the road to restabilization of industry or to normal commercial activity on what appears to be a permanent basis. In the United States there have been marked advances in several phases of industry, but there also have been marked reactions which would indicate that nation-wide measures taken to alleviate trade stagnation were lacking in fundamental soundness, and despite their huge cost would prove to be temporary expedients only postponing a rectification of economic difficulties along the line of common sense economic practice. Canada's surer and uninterrupted, if slower, progress is doubtless in part attributable to the fact that we have not attempted to employ economic panaceas to mitigate our troubles.

MUCH ENCOURAGEMENT

It would be pleasant in this brief review of the past twelve months to confine one's attention to the brighter side of the picture, to tabulate the large amount of statistical information available which shows beyond question that business is improving. Plenty of this is discoverable on every hand. It is all most encouraging, and it is being freely quoted as an evidence that all is well and that we shall one day soon return to that condition of affairs which we called normal prosperity before the depression struck us. I do not think that such a review would be of great value to us at this time. These things are "surface showings," and they are good, but underneath them lie more important problems which will continue to affect adversely the business conditions of each one of us to an increasing degree so long as they remain unsolved.

INDICATIVE FIGURES

If we would summarize the state of Canadian trade in general at this end of the year 1935 and compare it with that which obtained a year ago, I know of no more surely indicative set of figures than is provided by the year's freight car loadings. They are now available up to the end of November and form very interesting reading. For all Canada the number of cars loaded was greater than in 1934 by 28,828, not a large figure, and it is notable that Western Canada had an increase of 32,007 for the year, while in the East there was a decrease of 3,179, which may be taken as reflecting the betterment in agricultural conditions.

These car loadings include the movement of general commodities and reflect increased business following upon higher prices for farm products. Were they confined to a record of the movement of grain, grain products and livestock, the story would be different. For all Canada the movement of these commodities showed a decline of 12,685 cars. Western loadings of grain and products showed a decline of 6,626 cars, and Eastern, of 5,642. Western livestock loadings increased by 2,918, while Eastern were less by 3,335. In these figures will be found much of the reason for the smallness of the increase in railway earnings Canada this year has to record.

OTHER CLASSIFICATIONS

Other classifications are hardly less interesting. An increase for all Canada of 5,437 cars of ore reflects only partly the uninterrupted and important development of mining, which we have enjoyed. This industry, by the providing of employment and the consumption of supplies, has been a tremendous factor in assisting to carry the country over the depression period. The total volume of railway business attributable to it forms a steadily growing percentage of the total. Of lumber we find a decrease for all Canada of 1,136 cars. For pulp wood and for pulp and paper we have an increase of almost 11,000 cars. One would like to be able to say that this meant progress in an industry which a few years ago was looked upon as rich in potentialities for national profit. Under conditions which have been brought to pass, however, and owing to world prices now obtaining, it represents more than anything else the denuding of Canadian forest areas at small profit, while other nations conserve their forest wealth for better times and more favorable markets.

INDUSTRIAL PROGRESS

It is in loadings of miscellaneous merchandise that Eastern Canada best shows the industrial progress that has been made over the year. An increase of 17,890 cars reflects the general industrial progress, and this is strengthened by an increase for the same classification of 7,278 in the West, making a total for all Canada of 25,168, a very large percentage of the increase in all phases of the year's activity.

The above figures may be taken as a very general but reliable cross-section of the past year's business. In the face of world conditions, it will be encouraging to those of pronounced conservative temperament, but to a large number of Canadians will come the hope and the belief that the coming year should be characterized by decided improvement all along the line. Indications that this may happen are not wanting. Much, of course, depends on crop returns and markets abroad that await them, and of that nothing can now be said. It will be more profitable, I think, to consider what may be the contributing factors that will work to that end and what are there before us in the way of obstacles to a resumption of the fullest possible measure of trade movement.

HOPEFUL AVENUE

I look upon the broadening of international trade by arrangement with foreign countries as one of the most hopeful avenues which may lead to the desired result, this being true provided, of course, that our own industrial interests are safeguarded in so far as they affect Canadian industry as a whole. At this writing we cannot foresee the effect of measures in this direction already taken. As they become more clear we shall better know how to proceed. At the best we do but experiment in tariff arrangements, and will presumably continue to do so until the whole matter is set upon a scientific footing that will enable us surely to know what we are doing.

There are matters, however, upon which we have experimented for many years, and although we have had bitter experience enough we seem to have learned little. I refer more particularly to the trade deadening effect of national overindebtedness and its accompanying paralyzer of business, heavy taxation. It is years since those Canadians who take an intelligent interest in the economic welfare of their country first began to protest the steadily mounting indebtedness, Federal, provincial and municipal, and throughout all these years the sum total has been increasing until it has now assumed proportions of burdensomeness that compel immediate attention.

TREMENDOUS OBLIGATIONS

In better times portests went entirely unheeded, and even now few Canadians realize the tremendous obligations under which they carry on their affairs. Today we hear something of a city's difficulties, a few days later there will be talk of a province having to do something about its debts, and time and again comes the reminder of Federal obligations. They are all everybody's business. Nobody bothers much about them, and certainly few take to themselves thought that the sum total of these debts is a personal burden adding weight to their personal economic troubles. Pages could be covered with the tabulated figures enumerating these facts which, no doubt, would receive as little attention as such pages usually do.

A recent estimate published by an excellent authority states that in the ten largest Canadian cities the combined Federal, provincial and city debts work out at an average of almost seven hundred dollars for each man, woman and child living therein.

STAGGERING PROSPECT

The head of a family of four or five might well work out what this means to him in the light of the fact that no matter what may be his situation in life he is contributing towards the interest on this debt in taxes or in the ordinary cost of his living, or in both. The man living in the smaller town or in the country does not escape. He is paying in every purchase he makes and in a tax toll that is hidden in his every business transaction. These are obvious truths, so obvious they pass us by every day practically unnoticed. Rigid economy in pending by public bodies is today more necessary than ever before, and half measures in economy will not serve to avert serious consequences that threaten the progressive development of business. The diversion of increasingly huge sums of money from ordinary business into taxes for the payment of interest upon debts is a heavy drag upon industry and commerce. Its influence is towards lessening production, reducing employment, and lowering wages, and business cannot expand on a permanent basis as it should until the problem of constantly - increasing taxes is satisfactorily dealt with.

I shall probably be expected to devote some passing attention to the situation in which Canadian railways today find themselves. The figures I have quoted are a clear indication of where they stand as the result of year's operations. It can be more clearly expressed in the earning figures of the Canadian Pacific Railway. For the eleven months to November 30 the company's gross earnings totaled $118,098,000, as against $114,837,000 in 1934. This gives the present year an increase of $3,261,000, or 2.8 per cent, which comparatively low figure leaves much to be desired in the light of the company's requirements.

HIGHER EXPENSES

Following upon conditions beyond our control, operating expenses were also higher. Perhaps these figures will be better understood when I state that as compared with the great earnings for the year 1925 those estimated for the present year show a decrease of approximately $65,000,000, or more than one-third. No good purpose would be served by a labored study of the causes that have brought about this drastic change. Summed up, it boils down to the fact that the business has not been available. We have had to meet this condition by measures of economy and increased efficiency, and they have continued in force throughout the past year as far as was compatible with the proper maintenance and safeguarding of the property. But changing conditions in business and new methods of competition in transportation face the railways with the need of progressive modernization of their facilities, all of which is a matter of large expenditure. Therefore, if this country is to continue to enjoy its present happy position of being efficiently served by its railways at a comparatively low cost, something more far-reaching must be done to place them upon a sound and profitable basis. Certainly we are not appreciably further out of our troubles than we were a year ago.

MATTER OF TIME

National debts, be they large or small, are not going to be wiped out overnight by any action that our legislators may take. We can only seek to rectify conditions that are contributing to increases in these debts and study how we can reduce them, as would any intelligent man in his own business. That should be the care of our legislators and public bodies for a long time to come. There are other contributory matters that call for attention at this time and I suggest that one of them is the matter of immigration. Our more prosperous times have been those in which we have received larger numbers of new settlers with their wealth. If we cannot in a short time reduce our load of debt, we can at least do something to stop its increase and we can bring into this country more people, whose efforts will create wealth with which to help meet it and so lessen the load upon the individual.

It will be observed that in this review I have not striven to present the more optimistic side of the outlook for our country's future. That has been done by others, and I think that from their point of view there was every justification for the cheering pictures they have presented. At this moment there is every reason to suppose that the coming year will show a greater measure of improvement over this than we have to record over 1934. That improvement will be all the more marked and it will be all the more soundly established for years to come if at its end we have taken our courage in our hands and set about the permanent solution of some of the problems I have here touched upon.

Germany Building Strong Air Force

Adolf Hitler, dictator of Germany, and his "right hand man," General Hermann Wilhelm Goering, Air Minister of Germany, are shown (top) stalking across an airport during an inspection of the Reich Air Force. In the "German Air Force Manual," published in Berlin recently, it is revealed that Germany's air strength has mounted steadily. A squadron of pursuit craft is shown below.

SCHOOL DOCTOR VACATES POST

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and school doctor for the city of Aldershot, England. He came to Victoria in 1910 and entered private practice.

SERVED OVERSEAS

When war was declared in August, 1914, he immediately enlisted with the Canadian Expeditionary Force and served in France until the conclusion of the war.

Upon his return here, Dr. Donald held the post of assistant director of medical service in British Columbia for the Canadian militia.

In September, 1922, he was appointed to the post of school doctor in Victoria

The city school board already has advertised for applications with a view to filling the vacancy immediately. All applications must be in the school board office in time to be considered by the trustees at their inaugural meeting next Wednesday evening.

SIR FRANCIS NEWDEGATE DIES

NUNEATON, Warwick, Eng., Jan. 2 (AP).—Sir Francis Newdegate, former Governor of Tasmania and West Australia, died today at the age of seventy-three.

Quadruplets Celebrating

Identical presents, including two drums apiece, thrilled the hearts of the Morlock quadruplets, of Lansing, Michigan, when they celebrated the Christmas season in their home. Shown beside their big tree are, top to bottom: Helen, Wilma, Sarah and Edna, five years old.

FEW ACCIDENTS OVER HOLIDAY

Slippery Roads and Rain Responsible for Crashes On Highways

In spite of the condition of roads and highways over the holiday, the motor car accident list at police headquarters was not heavy. There were a number of minor crashes and only one person, Alex Daniels, an Indian, sustained injuries severe enough to require hospital treatment.

Daniels is alleged to have driven an automobile over an embankment in the Ogden Point railway yard. He suffered head injurics.

George Okell, Wilson Street, was driving in heavy rain on Cadboro Bay Road early Wednesday morning and his car skidded on the wet pavement and struck a telephone pole, snapping it off at the base. Mr. and Mrs. Okell escaped without injury, but the services of the B.C. Electric repair gang were required to clear away tangled wires.

IN COLLISION

Automobiles driven by Raymond English, 2817 Prior Street, and G. A. Rudd, Marigold, were in collision near the Chanticleer Inn early Wednesday morning. Mr. English was returning to the city from Colwood and Mr. Rudd was taking friends to Langford. No one was injured.

Robert Richardson and Ernest Bukin escaped injury when the car in which they were riding skidded off the road in the vicinity of Four Mile House. The left front wheel of the automobile was broken off.

City police are seeking a hit-and-run driver who struck down Gong a Chinese, of 626 Chatham Street, while the man was pushing a handcart on Johnson Street, near the Johnson Street bridge, New Year's Day. The Chinese suffered a gash over the eye.

RESCUER OVERCOME AS RESCUED RECOVER

SUDBURY, Ont., Jan. 2 (CP).—Sent to assist two other men overcome by powder gas at the 700-foot level of Falconbridge nickel mine, Creighton Gabourie was poisoned by the gas himself and fell thirty feet in a raise today, suffering a severe head injury. While the other two men recovered from the gas swiftly, Gabourie was still unconscious tonight, and it was feared that his skull had been fractured.

Chinese Burglar Gets Two Years

VANCOUVER, Jan. 2 (CP).—Chang, a Chinese, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary by Police Magistrate H. S. Wood today on a charge of breaking and entering. Chang attempted to rob the premises of Richard Leroy late yesterday. He was heard by Leroy, who caught him and held him until police officers arrived.

WRECKAGE CONFIRMS STORY OF DISASTER

CANTON, China, Jan. 2 (AP).—Discovery of floating wreckage confirmed today reports the steamer Watachau, bound from Shuitung to Congmoon with 200 passengers and crew, foundered on December 22 and all persons aboard drowned. Authorities presumed overloading caused the vessel to capsize suddenly.

When chartered in 1746, Princeton was known as the College of New Jersey, and was located at Elizabethtown. It was moved to Princeton in 1756, but it was not until October 22, 1896, that the corporate title was changed to Princeton University.

ASTRONOMERS FIND NO SIGN OF DRIFTING

Victoria Observatory Taking Part in Study of Continental Positions

WORK SO FAR FAILS TO SUPPORT THEORY

OTTAWA, Jan. 2 (CP).—A world-wide scientific investigation launched in 1933 so far shows no definite indications that the continents are shifting their positions.

Final conclusions, though, from seventy-five to a hundred observatories which participated around the world will only be known late next Summer. Involving an immense amount of astronomical computation, the results from all the different observatories are being correlated by the International Time Bureau at Paris. If the inquiry fails to indicate a pronounced movement of the continents, another globe-girdling survey will be made, possibly in 1945. Should a drifting be manifested, periodic observations will be conducted to keep a check on the movement.

NOT COMPLETED YET

"While the correlation has not been completed yet, we know enough, tentatively, about the results to satisfy ourselves there is no definite indications of a drift," R. Meldrum Stewart, director of the Dominion Observatory, today stated. "Longitudes taken at our Ottawa and Victoria observatories, combined with similar observations made at Greenwich, England, and other European stations, indicate a shifting of the North America continent westward a few feet since 1926.

"On the other hand, however, longitudes taken at Washington and San Diego, Cal., show a slight movement of the continent eastward during the same period. These differences on the same continent, naturally, are quite within the probable errors of observation."

ON AUSTRIAN THEORY

Investigation was on the theory of the Austrian geologist, Wegner, that the continents originally formed the one mass; that North America and South America broke away, drifting westward, and that Australia became severed, floating southward on a plastic surface.

KILLED UNDERNEATH WHEELS OF TRUCK

VANCOUVER, Jan. 2 (CP).—A man, believed to be V. A. Davies, was instantly killed here Tuesday when he fell underneath the wheels of a truck at Fifth Avenue and Main Street. Witnesses told police Davies appeared to be leaning against a lamp post and as the truck passed him he fell forward under the rear wheels of the vehicle.

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CENTRAL SMART INEXPENSIVE

Presents Outline of Plans for Year to the Vancouver Council

Would Reduce Assessments and Mill Rate, Appoint City Manager and Restore Civic Salary Cuts—Expects Huge Deficit

VANCOUVER, Jan. 2 (?).—Recommendations for reduction of assessments and lowering of the mill rate, restoration of civic salary cuts and appointment of a city manager were given by Mayor G. G. McGeer to the 1936 city council at its inaugural meeting today.

At the same time, the councillors, including two newcomers — Aldermen P. C. Gibbens and H. L. Corey —heard the mayor estimate approximately a $5,000,000 cash deficit for the city's 1936 budget, then envision a possible $5,000,000 expenditure for Vancouver's proposed Empire fair in 1938.

The large deficit is due to the fact that expenditures are expected to total $14,906,565, with a probable cash collection of only $10,014,000. Although this condition is deplorable, it is not hopeless and is similar to that of all Canadian cities, the mayor said.

HIGHER STANDARD

In recommending the restoration of the salary cuts, the mayor said he believed the civic institutions which have suffered from the depression would be raised to a higher standard.

He urged the council to appropriate $25,000 to help finance the Vancouver jubilee celebrations and his recommendation was adopted. Officials in charge of the celebrations expect to raise an additional $125,000 by other means.

Completion of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway from Burrard Inlet to the Peace River as part of the Canadian National Railways system and development of local harbor and terminal railway facilities to give the port of Vancouver a better chance in competition with other Pacific Coast shipping centres were also urged by the mayor.

EMPIRE EXPOSITION

Mr. McGeer asked the councillors to seek aid from the Provincial and Federal Governments in an effort to secure the co-operation of Great Britain and the Dominions in having the 1938 British Empire Exposition in Vancouver. If this co-operation is received, a fund of about $5,000,000 may be expended in providing a setting for the fair, he said.

A recommendation for a second day of prayer was adopted by the council and after the meeting the mayor issued a proclamation setting the date as next Sunday. He asked all citizens to attend their own churches on that day and invited the aldermen to attend church with him.

Motorist at Willesden police court: "I was fascinated by a woman motorist making the sort of signals a woman motorist would make."

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Heads Autonomous State

It is in the courtyard of the Confucius Temple in Peiping, China, shown above, that headquarters of the new Hopei Province autonomous government in North China has been established. The temple lies in the shadow of the Ming Pagoda, seen in background. Inset is a picture of Yin Ju-Keng, who was made head of the new government.

MAY ADD TO FUND FOR ADVERTISING

Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau Willing to Increase Grant By Five Hundred Dollars

Provided other cities in the Evergreen Playground Association raise their contributions to the general advertising fund, when the organization holds its annual meeting tomorrow in Seattle, the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau will increase its allocation from $1,500 to $2,000 for the 1936 campaign.

This was decided at a meeting of directors of the local bureau yesterday.

Mayor David Leeming told the directors more money was necessary to carry on the work of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau during the coming year, and suggested that members ask an increase in the grant from the Provincial Government.

The Mayor stated a grant of $5,000 from the Government could be used to advantage in 1936.

He said: "I am sure Hon. John Hart is now sufficiently aware that Vancouver Island is out to get a better deal."

LOCAL IMMIGRATION BUILDING IS FILMED AS CITY ORPHANAGE

Victoria's immigration building at the Outer Wharf will appear in the Central Films' second production, "Tugboat Princess," as an orphanage.

With the grounds treated to resemble the yard of an orphanage and crowded with some fifty Victoria children, the motion picture cameras were put to work, Tuesday.

A large dormitory set, measuring fifty feet by forty feet, has been erected at the Willows studio and interior shots will be taken tomorrow, with the talented child star, Edith Fellows, playing the main role.

LACK OF STREET SIGNS DEPLORED

Need for adequate signs bearing the names of all streets in the city was recognized by directors of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau yesterday. Directors were assured at the meeting that the bureau and the Victoria Automobile Club would make representation to the City Council to have money set aside for this work.

The matter was drawn to the attention of the directorate when a letter written by E. L. Richardson, general manager of the Calgary Exhibition and Stampede, was read.

Mr. Richardson deplored the lack of system in Victoria street signs and suggested that proper and permanent signs be erected on all the streets at points where motorists and pedestrians alike could read them with ease. He pointed out "it would add greatly to the pleasure of tourists visiting Victoria. We have never, in any motoring we have done, experienced such a lack of streets signs as we found there."

Dog Rescues Man From Two Thugs

VANCOUVER, Jan. 2 (?).—Gerrard Fanning was saved from losing his money to two holdup men as he was putting his car in the garage at the rear of his home tonight when his dog heard the scuffle and came to his rescue.

The thugs hit Fanning on the head and face with a blunt instrument, knocking him to the ground. They were going through his pockets when the dog appeared with teeth bared. The thugs fled.

ONE MORE FATALITY

MARSEILLE, France, Jan. 2 (AP).—Fatality list in the assassination of King Alexander of Jugoslavia and Louis Barthou, French Foreign Minister, in 1934, was brought to six today, with the death of the gendarme Galli as a result of his wounds.

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SUBSTANTIAL CUT IS MADE IN FIRE LOSS

Chief Alexander Munroe Reports Damage Is $98,894 —Lower Than 1934

HIGHEST ON RECORD CLOSE TO $600,000

A substantial reduction in the city's fire loss figures was disclosed in the annual report for 1935, as compared with the figures of the preceding year, Chief Alexander Munroe announced yesterday.

With city improvements assessed at $45,000,000, the city's fire loss last year amounted to only $98,294, which is only a fraction of 1 per cent of the total assessed value of improved property.

In 1934 the losses amounted to $102,921. The lowest fire loss ever experienced here was $14,896 in 1918, while the highest was $597,241 in 1910.

During the last twenty years, the average fire loss in Victoria has been only $68,997.

FINE PROGRESS IN MINING CONFIRMED

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Lead sprang into second place on a revival in markets, though actual production at 324,000,000 pounds was less than the 347,366,967 pounds mined the year before. The 1935 output was worth $10,206,000, compared with $8,461,859, the return from lead in 1934.

Approximately $1,500,000 was added to silver values, 8,704,000 ounces bringing $5,547,059 in 1935. In the year before, 8,572,916 ounces fetched $4,068,792.

Zinc was larger in volume and value, 252,000,000 pounds bringing $7,862,400, compared with 247,926,844 pounds, worth $7,546,893, in the year previous. Coal output fell from 1,347,090 long tons in 1934 to 1,150,000 tons in 1935.

ITALIAN FLYERS BROUGHT DOWN

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sharpshooter in one of the armies surrounding Makale. The enemy plane was felled on Tuesday, the Government announced.

AWAITING REPORTS

Emperor Haile Selassie anxiously awaited fuller reports from his War Minister, Ras Mulugheta, who is in command of the Ethiopian push aimed at driving the invaders from Tigre Province.

So far the Negus, who continues to make his headquarters in this mountain-sheltered city, has received only scant information from his Northern forces.

CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

ROME, Jan. 2 (?).—Italy called for 5,700 volunteers for her air service tonight in what Fascists said was "the greatest aerial enlistment in history." The Air Ministry asked for 1,500 pilots and 4,200 base experts.

Italy has officially expressed regret for the bombardment of the Swedish Red Cross unit, but warned Sweden against "tendentious versions of the incident," it was disclosed.

New and undisclosed "scientific weapons" may be pressed into Italy's fight against Ethiopia, a reliable source said.

RELUCTANT TO USE

Italy has a vast quantity of these weapons, which thus far she has been reluctant to use, the informant said. But Ethiopian war practices may make it necessary to bring the new instruments into play, he asserted.

A violent Fascist campaign from the air, some observers predicted, might come as "punishment" for the alleged decapitation by Ethiopian warriors of Italian flyers. It was disclosed that the bombing of a Swedish ambulance unit was in retaliation for the alleged decapitation of a pilot.

(An Ethiopian communique said twenty-eight Ethiopians were killed and two Swedish physicians wounded in the air raid.)

The official Stefani News Agency said the attack took place after Pilot Tito Minniti was captured and beheaded by the Ethiopians. An Italian communique yesterday said two Fascist flyers who fell at Daggah Bur were beheaded.

WORKING OUT PLANS

LONDON, Jan. 2 (CP-Havas).—Official quarters today reported that naval, military and air attaches of Great Britain and France are working out joint tactical plans "in case of an emergency."

Some newspapers here have reported details of a purported British plan to aid France in case of an attack on the Continent. Informed observers said details of the negotiations could not yet be divulged, however.

It was emphasized in official quarters that the joint conferences were confined to consideration of reprisals arising from the application of sanctions and that they would not cover hypothetical attacks not arising from League sanctions.

MAINLY NAVAL SUPPORT

Inasmuch as France has not called for mutual aid from Great Britain since her note of last September, when she asked for a statement of Britain's mutual aid policy, the proffered French aid will for the present be restricted mainly to naval support, it was understood.

The eventual collaboration would entail a plan for British aid to France in case a third power should attack France, informed quarters indicated.

The proposed aid by Great Britain is being considered in three phases —land, sea and air—it was understood.

PRINCE IS ANGERED

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STOCKHOLM, Jan. 2 (?).—Prince Carl of Sweden tonight charged publicly that the bombing of a Swedish Red Cross unit in Ethiopia on Monday placed "a terrible responsibility" on Italy as the aggressor.

As president of the Swedish Red Cross, the Prince ordered complete investigation of the bombing and ordered money appropriated for the inquiry under auspices of the International Red Cross.

Speaking at a council meeting of the Red Cross here, Prince Carl said Italy's responsibility would be investigated immediately.

"As a result of certain Italian statements (on the bombing) it is to be feared that the tragedy must be described as an unworthy act," the Prince asserted.

BOARD MAY HAVE POWERS EXTENDED

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The board enters the picture as between Canada on the one hand and the United States and Japan on the other in connection with the imposition of values for duty. Section 43 of the Customs Act provides that the Minister of National Revenue may fix the value for duty of any product imported under certain conditions when he is instructed to do so by the Governor-in-Council.

UNDERTAKINGS GIVEN

Pursuant to undertakings given the United States and Japan most of the valuations for duty under this section were canceled and further undertakings were given as to the imposition of future valuations.

The United States note in effect gave the board the right to review any valuation made and publish a finding as to its propriety, but no power to abolish or change any valuation. The Japanese note went farther.

It contemplates the Tariff Board being clothed with authority to cancel or alter the ruling of the Minister of National Revenue as well as review it. No mention is made of any appeal from the board's finding although this may be provided in any legislation enacted to give effect to the undertaking.

OTHERS TO BENEFIT

Under the most-favored nation clause in the United States treaty the concession granted Japan will likely be extended to the United States, as well as to other most-favored nations.

As most of the values so far imposed under Section 43 have been canceled, the board is not likely to be confronted with an appeal for some months. Under established procedure it takes a couple of months to get a value for duty imposed and if one were imposed another lapse of time would take place before an appeal could be registered. In the meantime Parliament will have met, the budget will have been brought down and any necessary amendments to the law will have been made.

Military Activities

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BEANS Kentucky Wonder, 8-oz. 2 tins 15c
TOMATO JUICE Aylmer, 2's 2 tins 15c
SPINACH Royal City, 2's 2 tins 25c
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CORNED BEEF HASH Libby's, at 3 tins 25c
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Jap Oranges, box 58c
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TOO MUCH GOVERNMENT

The issue of redistribution in provinces never arises but it meets with strong opposition from sitting members of legislatures if it is designed to reduce the representation. There is no doubt whatever that the Dominion's multiple body of government is top-heavy. The people as a whole throughout the country are only too anxious to see the costs of government brought down. If that issue were the subject of a plebiscite the result would be an overwhelming endorsement of economy. The matter was not discussed at the Dominion-Provincial Conference held in Ottawa. In fact, what can be done in reducing what is now a prodigious cost of government is a matter shelved from year to year, so far as any concerted action is concerned.

In Alberta, at the forthcoming session of the Provincial Legislature, a motion will be introduced for a change in the character of the representation whereby two members would be returned for the local House for each Federal constituency. That would mean a reduction of the members of the Provincial Legislature from sixty-three to thirty-four, and would be a move in the right direction. Moreover, it would mean that the same groups of electors would vote for both Dominion and Provincial purposes. It would be a simple way of bringing about redistribution and would mean substantial economy.

In 1932, Saskatchewan reduced the membership of its Legislature from 63 to 55. In 1933, Ontario's Legislature was reduced in personnel from 112 to 90. Nova Scotia, by redistribution, has cut down the number of members from 38 to 30. Quebec has 90 members in its Legislative Assembly; Manitoba has 55; British Columbia 48, and little Prince Edward Island 30 members. All these Legislatures are unwieldy, all cost too much. There are also too many of them. Instead of nine in the Dominion, five would be sufficient with the merging of the Maritimes into one province and the Prairie Provinces combined under one government for provincial purposes. British Columbia could be as well administered today with 30, or even less, members of the Provincial Legislature.

This whole question of cutting down the cost of government is one of very great importance to the country, especially since the Western Governments have had to rely so largely on Federal assistance in a financial sense. At present it is probable that the people of this Dominion are the most intensely governed of any on earth, and the tripication of taxation for Federal, Provincial and municipal purposes constitutes a burden that is stifling progress. The people as a whole have been far too patient under the yoke; they appear to be supine in making themselves heard on a matter of this importance.

MISS M. A. WIGLEY

Many women's organizations and a whole host of friends will learn with the deepest grief of the death of Miss M. A. Wigley, so long prominent in social welfare activities in the community. Her deep convictions, her honesty of purpose, the sincerity she brought to bear on every cause she espoused were assets which enlisted her a very wide circle of friends and admirers. She was a moving spirit in the formation of the Kumtuks afterwards the Women's Business and Professional Club, and in later years her indomitable energies were directed chiefly to the Women's Workroom, an organization which has filled such a place of importance in the need of the city during the economic depression. At the time of her death she was president of that organization, and throughout its lifetime one of the keenest and most enthusiastic workers in the cause.

Her personality will be missed in women's affairs here, for she had the faculty of inspiring others with the enthusiasm which was so peculiarly her own. Her organizing ability, too, was always at the service of her fellow-citizens, and was of a high order. She was possessed of a host of those gracious attributes which adorn her sex, and wherever she went she speedily made friends. Those of her type can be ill spared, and there is no doubt that her loss will be deeply felt, and grief for it will go out to her relatives.

NOT TOO OLD AT FORTY

The revolt of youth is said to be as old as history—that is, youth always thinks its opportunities are usurped by those who are older in years and experience. That revolt was given an impetus thirty years ago, when Sir William Osler coined the phrase, "too old at forty," and gave his considered opinion that middle-aged men were inefficient and men over sixty completely useless. The progress of events has not justified his strictures. It was, comparatively speaking, old men who conducted the Great War, though perhaps the reply of youth to this might be that the struggle was prolonged because of too many worn-out ideas brought to bear on its prosecution. There is no doubt, however, that such men as Clemenceau, Lord Roberts, General Joffre and Foch were mentally virile in old age.

The question of at what age a man does his best work is an old one, and whatever examination has been made into it refutes the theory that the summit of achievement is passed at forty. Dr. Newman Dorland at one time listed 400 of the world's most distinguished men in all departments of human endeavor. He found that the average duration of intellectual performance ranges from thirty-two years in the case of satirists and humorists to forty-nine years for inventors. In his examination it was shown that 78 per cent of the men under consideration completed their life work between 50 and 80 years of age, and 85 per cent of them after their fiftieth year.

From his investigation Dr. Dorland concluded that the average age for the master work, or the supreme effort of a man, is fifty years. It is recorded that Bacon outlined his "Novum Organum" at the precocious age of 15, but he did not complete it for publication until he was 59 years old. Kant wrote his "Estimate of Living Force" when he was 23 years old, but his "Critique of Pure Reason" was not accomplished until he was 57. Handel composed his oratorio "The Triumph of Time" at the age of 72. Verdi was 71 when he composed his masterpiece, "Othello," and Victor Hugo at 75 wrote "The History of Crime," and continued to write until he was 80 years old. It is noteworthy, too, that Goethe completed his "Faust" when 80, and Ranke commenced his "History of the World" when 80 and lived to complete it. Von Moltke was chief of staff of the Prussian Army when 88, and John Wesley was preaching almost daily at the same age. Gladstone was 80 when he conducted his Midlothian campaign and became Prime Minister for the fourth time at the age of 83.

In enumerating the foregoing and many other examples, Mr. F. C. Scallan, writing in The English Review, says that "age, most frequently, if not invariably, implies experience, and the 'smack of age' that has acquired 'some relish of the saltness of time' is still valuable in the affairs of life."

USE OF COSMETICS

M. Abel Hermant, of the French Academy, has given in Nouvelles Litteraires of Paris some of his reflections on the Cosmetic Art. He is not enthusiastic about the latest adornments that women affect, but he is tolerant to the extent of laughter, for he laughs, he says, when he meets a creature whose carded hair has nothing in common with Mother Eve's tresses because it is neither fair nor dark but the color of a sick ear of corn, or like "consumptive scarab," and whose complexion "is a curious match with the inhuman color of her hair; whose lips are touched up with red lead and whose painted little claws remind me of the claws of a bloodthirsty tigress."

The point of real interest brought out by M. Hermant is that the women of the world are self-taught amateurs in the art of make-up; in other words, they know nothing about it. The consequence is that when the cheeks are veneered with red in spots the attempt is to emulate natural colors, but if they were natural the family doctor would peremptorily order the subject to look after herself. Very often, too, the red of the lips betray a none too reassuring heart condition. "If," says a friend of M. Hermant's, "Nature had made these women as they make themselves with artifices; if their faces were naturally as inflamed and livid as they paint them, they would be disconsolate." The same friend is quoted as saying:

"I think that all fashions of all times were ugly, only their ugliness assumed different forms. But fashion is definitely ugly. The romantics amuse me when they mourn the disappearance of colorful clothes for men or the glorious century of the rococo. I may add that I understand the aversion of the precieuses of that century for nakedness after I have seen certain exhibitions at the Lido. All fashions then are ugly, I say, but they are not necessarily absurd. But present-day fashion has exceeded the limits of absurdity and this is what I can't forgive. Let me give you one example. Is there anything so ridiculous as these modern sheep who go out of their way to resemble movie stars as their grandmothers strove to resemble a Sarah Bernhardt or a Rejane, and who put on the same make-up in broad daylight as they would for footlights. Do I need other arguments?"

Miss Ishbel MacDonald, a daughter of Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, is evidently given to taking chances. Her latest venture is the acquisition of the Old Plough Inn at Speen, Bucks. It is a remote little hostel. A few years ago it had four lodgers, one regular patron and no transients. It is an inn reached by an extremely steep and twisty lane and left by an equally circuitous and crooked lane. Miss MacDonald may possibly be able to give it a popularity it does not now possess. It is so remote that its occupants are forgotten by the tax-collector.

Three books have been chosen, one of which is to receive the Femina Vie Heureuse Prize. They are "The House in Paris," by Elizabeth Bowen; "Follow Thy Fair Sun," by Viola Meynell, and "The Root and the Flower," by L. H. Myers.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., January 2, 1936.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

The barometer remains low on the Northern Coast, and unsettled weather continues over this Province.

Fine weather prevails in the Prairie Provinces, accompanied by moderate temperatures.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Snow	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	--	.08	44	49
Nanaimo	--	--	40	50
Vancouver	--	.08	44	52
Kamloops	--	Trace	34	38
Prince George	--	--	24	36
Estevan Point	--	.30	44	48
Prince Rupert	--	.14	32	38
Atlin	.40	--	2b	4
Dawson	--	--	32b	18b
Seattle	--	.04	44	54
Portland	--	.02	46	56
San Francisco	--	.10	48	54
Spokane	--	.01	34	44
Los Angeles	--	--	50	66
Penticton	--	--	36	--
Vernon	--	--	33	--
Grand Forks	--	.14	32	38
Nelson	4.00	.07	33	34
Kaslo	--	--	31	--
Cranbrook	--	--	28	39
Calgary	--	--	20	34
Edmonton	.10	--	4b	10
Swift Current	--	--	20	30
Prince Albert	--	--	4	20
Saskatoon	--	--	6	20
Qu'Appelle	--	--	4	26
Winnipeg	.40	--	8b	14
Moose Jaw	--	--	8	30
Wednesday—				
Toronto	--	--	24	36
Ottawa	--	--	14	22
Montreal	--	--	14	22
Saint John	--	--	4	30
Halifax	--	--	10	22

THURSDAY

Minimum	45
Maximum	49
Average	47
Minimum on the grass	42

Weather: fair; sunshine, 3 hours, 24 minutes.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.94; wind, SW., 18 miles; fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.88; wind, W., 12 miles; clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.82; calm; raining.

Prince George—Barometer, 29.78; wind, NE., 8 miles; fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.72; wind, SE., 14 miles; raining.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.00; wind, NW., 16 miles; raining.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.02; wind, W., 10 miles; raining.

Portland—Barometer, 30.14; wind, SW., 6 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.98; wind, SW., 8 miles; clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.16; wind, SE., 4 miles; raining.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Time is one's best friend, teaching best of all the wisdom of silence.—Alcott.

In one of his rollicking moods Sir Harry Lauder sang a song about a certain custom which had stood the test of time. There is some truth in the idea conveyed in the song of the popular Scotch minstrel albeit it was stated in a mood suggestive of conviviality appropriate to this particular season of the year. Anything which will stand the crucial test of time must have some saving virtue in it. The year which we are beginning promises to be a year of trial and test. That is why we would suggest that it might be as well to suspend our judgment and cease controversy on many things and wait and see what may happen with regard to many things.

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For example, there is a new Government in Canada which promised many things when it was an opposition and has promised many other things since it became a Government. We met a man on the street the other day who said the Government of Rt. Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie King seemed to have begun well. Therefore, give the Government a chance. Suspend judgment until we see what the new Government will do. It is true that the King Government is following the usual course of all so-called Liberal Governments. It is purging the civil service, not possibly so drastically as a Hitler, or a Mussolini, or a Stalin would purge their services, because, after all, we are not yet living under a dictatorship, but under a Government devoted to the principles of democracy. It is rewarding with public offices men who were lately elected to Parliament, but who patriotically resigned their positions before they had been sworn into them in order to enable Cabinet Ministers without parliamentary seats to take their places. That has been done before. It is an old custom which is again undergoing the test of time. So we shall leave the new Government of Mr. King in the hands of time, and wait and see what happens during the testing time.

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The Federal Government is not the only political or economic institution which will be subjected to the crucial test of time during the year upon which we have entered for good or ill. There is not a provincial government from Quebec to British Columbia which is not troubled about what may happen during the year. The apparently strong administration of Premier Taschereau hardly survived the test of the late general election and is facing a series of scandals almost without parallel in the history of Canada since the days of the late Ross Government and the later Drury Government of Ontario. The ecstatic vision of nine Liberal Governments meeting a Dominion Liberal Government at Ottawa and enthusiastically announcing as a result of the deliberations that all the problems of Canada were in process of solution has been dissipated like the baseless fabric of a dream. Nothing was accomplished at the Ottawa meeting except a decision of the Federal authority to relieve the provinces and municipalities of the whole duty of providing for the relief of the unemployed. The most difficult of the problems of the King Government is the problem of the provinces, and the problem of the province of Ontario, with that arch political conspirator, Mr. Mitchell Hepburn, at its head, is the most acute problem of all.

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We sometimes wonder whether time in its flight is going to prove a great healer or an implacable destroyer of the faith of some of the politicians. The most notable of the political productions of the old year was Premier Aberhart of Alberta, the apostle of a new deal which is a fantastic compound of politics, economics and religion. We are not deliberately going to start a new controversy about the pontifical prophecies or genuflexions of Father Aberhart. The editor would not thanks us if we were to do that. We merely suggest that the interesting experiment of Social Credit as it is being applied in Alberta be left to the test of time. The textbooks which are so frequently quoted by writers of letters to the editor of The Colonist will not solve it. The textbooks merely expound theories. Experience will bring out the facts, which are more stubborn than the views of Social Credit theorists. Mr. Aberhart has appealed for time as another great apostle appealed to Caesar. He resents the impatience of his followers who are beginning to clamor for the payment of social dividends. He admits that he has undertaken an experiment in administration and economics. At first he was positive; at last he is beginning to qualify. He pleads the financial position of the province as an excuse for hopes deferred. But his promises were unconditional when he must have had a full knowledge of the obstacles to the successful application of his theories. Before the end of the year we shall know whether the Aberhart experiment is going to be a pronounced success or an abysmal failure. It is quite safe to predict that the year 1936 will prove one of the most interesting periods in the history of Canada.

The Observation Car

BY THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Once in a While

The old year gave us two new additions to the vocabulary, "confisticated" and "metallurgical observatory." They were both heard many times during the Federal election campaign . . . To us young men few things are so pathetic as an old biddy trying to make herself look young. We know a James Bay woman who dyes her hair several times a year in attempts to hide the distinguished silver strands. Just before Christmas the dye went wrong and she stayed home for over a week with a piebald appearance . . . Not long ago a visitor asked a dock walloper on Dallas Road how he could get to the cableship Restorer. "Go straight down that there road, turn to the left and keep on goin'. If you finds your hat floatin' in the salt chuck you'll know you took the wrong turn," the stevie scowled . . . "When I get out of this regiment you just watch me bash that sergeant a beauty in the kisser," growled a discontented private at Work Point Barracks. "Oh, no you won't," chorused several of his friends. "You'll take your turn in line like the rest of us."—G.B.

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Change of Language

There is a difference in sentences when words are qualified. This was ably illustrated at a public meeting in the Oak Bay Municipal Hall the other night. During the course of the evening, His Honor F. S. Lampman, judge of the County Court, contributed to the debate. Acting-Reeve R. Angus suggested that Judge Lampman give the council some cheap advice. It was left to Councillor William Mearns to change the sentence structure by suggesting that the judge give some good advice cheap.—P.C.R.

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Yeh, It Squirts

Hank the Philosopher says, "No matter whut nature does us little humans try t' show how good we are. Here they gets a firstclass volcano in Hawii that squirts 'an thunders all over th' place and some fellers goes up in an airplane t' drop some little bombs an' show Ole Mother Nature how much noise we kin' make.—W.I.F.

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Good Old Custom

Proprietors of the Central and Union Buildings did not fail to observe their regular New Year rite. It is a rite which affects every citizen who wishes to use Trounce Alley on New Year's Eve. The thoroughfare was barricaded off. This has to be done once every year so that the owners of the alley may keep ownership of the thoroughfare. If not barricaded once a year, the alley would automatically revert to the city.—P.C.R.

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It's a Puzzler

Here's a good baseball yarn, and its a puzzler, not only to the dyed-in-the-wool fans, but to Umpire Allie McGregor. However, to make things much easier I will give the story and the arbiter's decision at the same time. In a Sunday game played last season between two small towns in Southern New Mexico, the bases were full. The batter rolled to the pitcher, who fielded the ball, and tossed to the plate for a force-out. The batter on deck stepped into the box and hammered the pitch over the fence. Five runs crossed the plate. Officials went into a huddle, and emerged some minutes later with this decision: Runner from third out; batter (the homerun hitter) out. Result, a near riot in the stands.—J.D.

An Appreciation

(Contributed by I.A.B.R.)

To Our Lady of the Lake, May Monks:

A gallant soul has passed, and Vancouver Island has lost one of those brave, happy women who pioneered the Upper Island. Several years before the war May Monks and her husband, Albert Monks, took charge of the Chalet on the shores of Cameron Lake. Even today that tiny hostelry is surrounded by one of our few unspoiled stretches of primeval forest. In those days it was indeed built in the heart of the wilderness.

While her husband was overseas, and after he was killed in France, May Monks "carried on" alone through good times and through bad times, through health and through grievous illness she carried on and kept alive that gaiety and cheer which has always been found in the chalet.

She became the very spirit of those lovely woods—the Cathedral Grove, Cameron Lake.

She carried on until last Summer, when she was forced to give up the struggle which, to watchful and loving friends, was an epic of courage and gallantry. In spite of almost unbearable suffering and growing weakness she was enabled to fulfil one of her heart's desires—to revisit her family in the land of her birth, England. Two days before Christmas she passed to her rest in a London hospital after a last losing struggle to gather sufficient strength to return to her beloved British Columbia and those forests which she knew and loved so well.

A spirit so gallant, so gay, so full of the love of life will never die. It will live on in the memory of her hosts of friends and will always be linked in their minds with the thought of her famous old dog and guide, Muggins, who sleeps on the Arrowsmith Trail where she buried him before she went away.

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TWO ST. BARNABAS SERMONS

Sir,—Yesterday, the Sunday after Christmas Day, at the morning celebration, we had a Meditation by our Rector, Reverend Father N. E. Smith on the birth, of the Holy Babe at Bethlehem. Its connotations covered what that incarnation meant on the part of God our Father, of His Son our blessed Lord, and to us, an apostate race, without God and without hope in the world except through the coming of that Emmanuel, who then took on Himself our flesh and dwelt among us, and who now and at every moment of our lives with all His saving Grace comes into our hearts, our lives. Most solemnly touching were the thought on the import of that "Word being made flesh" in her to the Blessed Virgin, a daughter of Royal David's line, the Queen of Women,—His Mother.

At Evensong St. Barnabas had the privilege (a rare one, but which all hope may become more frequent) of listening to the Very Reverend The Dean of Columbia.

"What brings you here tonight?", asked Dean Quainton of a large gathering of worshippers, "To get some good advice? I see you smile, as if to say "Guess Again." Well, what draws a crowd? News! Particularly 'Good News.' The mob may not get very worked up over a doctor's advice to take tonic and walk for appetite; but let it hear the cook bellow, "hot cakes for breakfast," then it does 'get a move on.'

News of battle! Watch the bulletin board. Hear-say propaganda. Eye-wash! Believe it or not. News of victory! To whom do we look for that? To a gentleman in an armchair, itching to tell the world his pretty theory which he is quite sure if put in practice will bring us out on top? Or to the man-in-the-street, who has fought the fight and won out, and therefore knows what he is talking about. To learn the how and why of real victory over life's swamping problems, we must watch the fight, see the horror of it, and take note that the men who conquer are those who know Christ,—not only know about Him, but have a living, saving hold on Him, and will not let him go; and even they are saved as it were by fire, by the Grace of God. 'Grace' has been defined as 'God on the move'—not static, but actively coming into our souls, our lives. And, when He does that, we too 'get a move on.' We are over the precipice. We can never throw up a rope to Him. But He can, and has, let down His rope to us. That Rope of our Salvation is Jesus Christ, our Lord as well as fellow-man, 'Born in our hearts today'—Emmanuel—God with us. The end of our resources was come—humanly speaking all was over—then God comes, and shows us just the beginning of His infinite power and grace—His Rope of Rescue. But we ourselves have got to make fast that rope. The "Word," the Gospel, does not argue with us: it simply declares Itself. There are no "ifs" nor any "perhaps" in the Word of God. All we have to do is make our surrender. But it must be one hundred per cent surrender. We've got to say "Thy way, not mine." Not, "What must I do for Christ?" But "What does He want to do with me?" Now, what is your reaction? You have a sure cure for cancer—the cancer of Sin whose punishment is death. Can you selfishly keep it to yourself? "Our house is burnt, and our all is lost." So wired a poor husband to his absent wife. She replied: Never mind about that, my dear; we have each other." What matters poverty, depression, hardship, when we have the best of all "God with us"—our Leader, Lover, Lord,—our Friend? As we welcome Him into our hearts, His Divine Friendship transforms all that is unlovely or evil in our feeble life into a thing of strength, of beauty, of joy forever. So as we always bear in mind that He is and must be Master, as well as Friend, He will be for us the Golden Bridge of Love, spanning from the happy memories the purple dreams of youth, to the bitter problems of the hard present, solving them by the Divine Alchemy of His Grace; and then stretching on to what would have seemed to us "The horror of the shade," in a future grinning with fear, and hate, and war, and slavery, and death,—but which now shines in the knowledge that about none of these things need we worry or be moved. For we love Him, and He loves us; therefore must all things work together for our good; and we have His word that they are blessed and shall see God who are of a pure heart, a single, undivided mind. That is our ideal,—to have the "Secret of the Lord" when He shall dwell in us and we in Him. Then only can we have a perfect understanding of what is still in spots dark.

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December 30, 1935.

CREDIT

Sir,—The truth will out in the most humorous way at times. For instance, take the bank publicity handout, by one "Peter Thompson," run in your last Sunday magazine section under the title, "This Thing Called Credit."

We had the story of a bank manager of almost messianic saintliness pressing a loan on one Marks, a borrower of sickening virtue. After Marks has refused a loan from the bank in a scene of most loathsome Pecksniffian moralizing, the bank manager is made to say to Marks: "You've created your credit by initiative, the way bank credit and all other credit is created. All you have to do to get another $10,000 from us is to find some way in which you can repay it."

Exactly. And so we hear from the lips of the saintly bank manager the cold truth that what Mr. Marks borrowed was not his own credit at all, but simply the credit of the community, or the ability of the community to pay actual money—$10,000 of it—to Mr. Marks, for him to pay back to the bank and thus cancel the money created in the first place by the bank's entry when the loan was made to the insufferably virtuous Marks.

So once again: the community as a whole creates credit; the so-called credit that the "individual" creates" isn't worth a pile of beans to any bank in Christendom if the public cannot buy the goods the so-called "creator" of credit proposes to make and sell. And the public has no source of money whatever than the deposits created when banks, monetizing the community's credit or not as they see fit, create money by making loans or purchasing securities. The conclusion of the article under discussion seems to indicate that the propaganda mill that turned it out will supply others. Will the next one be about how the banks take the people's savings and lend them to borrowers?

OWEN L. JULL.

St. Mark's Vicarage, Victoria, B.C., January 2, 1936.

Was a Founder of This Great West

(By K. M. H. in The Manitoba Free Press)

Edward E. Best, for more than fifty years a resident of this Province and for more than forty an inspector of its schools, is dead. A man in whom there was no guile, he brought to this country a light Irish heart, a capacity for work and for play, a capacity to gently scan his brither man, a passion for education. Unconsciously on his part and always outside the boundary of realization set by his humility, he has become one of the founders of this great West. His works do follow him.

It was in the horse and buckboard era that Mr. Best arrived and went out to Gladstone to "take the school." It was along in 1888 that the Government decided that Manitoba had arrived at the place where a regular inspectoral staff was indicated—the ministers of the Church had taken this on previously. Mr. Best was one of the first five of these inspectors. Each staked out a kingdom for his ministrations and Mr. Best's was southern Manitoba, centring about Manitou and spreading out practically any distance in all directions.

NO FUSS OR HURRY

In those days the inspector would often be away from his home base for a month at a time. Not so swift going with a horse. But Mr. Best liked it. For one thing, he made friends with the horse, and for another thing, as he observed, "People knew where they were going and took plenty of time to get there." No roads to trammel them. True there was the occasional mud hole and the occasional swamp, and every so often a river to cross. Mr. Best never denied that he got a lot of fun out of the journey. It had to be grief or fun, and the pioneers preferred the latter term. Sometimes when the Assiniboine got really into its stride, the fords would be too high for the horse. So the inspector would build a raft, get the buckboard and horse "on her," secure the help of some wandering braves whose tepee topped the horizon, and then heave-ho-my-hearties, and the inspector was triumphantly on the other side.

Travelers in those days stayed where night overtook them. Often that, for Mr. Best, was under the trees, watching the panorama of the skies, hearing the call of the night birds, the rustle of tiny feet, the whisper of the trees—sleep.

The schools? They were the first schools in all this wilderness. Sod, some of them, some of lumber hauled by wagon sixty, seventy miles. "In those days," observed Mr. Best, "the trustees were sincere and devoted—and wonderfully economical."

ALWAYS LEARNING

Astonishing how he got to know his schools, schools by bluffs, schools on expanses of prairie, schools by the trail, schools on hilltops, schools in the valley. Astonishing how he remembered the teachers. "I never entered a school," he said, "that I did not learn something." He left behind him as he traveled along, rattling in his buckboard or bumping over the bumps on his bicycle, gratitude and love, and courage.

Astonishing how he knew his people. "The Canadians of my district," he said, were chiefly Easterners. What I admired about them was their self-reliant attitude. They knew what pioneering meant and were determined to face it without grumbling. They had to come here unassisted, clear their own land, build their own shacks and educate their children. There was a good deal of hardship but no real poverty, because the family worked untiringly." It was to these folk he came up the lane when the Fall nights were drawing in. First time he was a stranger—a stranger, of course, to be taken in and made welcome—but the next time he was a friend. And so he remained while the sands of life did run.

As the days and years of the great adventure of building a nation went by, Mr. Best saw "his land" grow in wealth and power, and with his roots in the past he pressed forward to meet the future. When he was seventy-one he took his degree of Bachelor of Arts at the University of Manitoba.

"I like prairie trails," said Mr. Best. "Now with a trail you just can't tell what is waiting round the corner as it winds and winds." The trail has finished today at the horizon rim and over.

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Tides at Victoria

JANUARY

Time of tides (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1936.

Date	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.
	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
1 ..	0 55	4.5	8 26	9 1	15 29	4.8	21 35	8.1
2 ..	1 14	5.0	8 46	9.3	16 21	3.8	.....	.....
3 ..	.....	.....	9 00	9.6	17 09	2.9	.....	.....
4 ..	.....	.....	9 35	9.9	18 20	2.0	.....	.....
5 ..	.....	.....	10 09	10.0	19 05	1.4	.....	.....
6 ..	.....	.....	10 49	10.0	19 47	1.0	.....	.....
7 ..	.....	.....	11 30	9.9	20 28	0.8	.....	.....
8 ..	6 06	9.0	8 22	8.9	12 12	9.6	21 02	1.0
9 ..	6 22	8.9	9 15	8.5	12 58	9.3	21 39	1.4
10 ..	6 36	8.8	10 10	8.1	13 35	8.8	22 14	2.0
11 ..	6 51	8.6	11 06	7.6	14 19	8.1	22 48	2.7
12 ..	7 05	8.6	12 11	7.1	15 03	7.5	23 18	3.4
13 ..	7 21	8.6	13 22	6.5	15 56	6.8	23 40	4.2
14 ..	7 40	8.6	14 30	6.0	17 14	6.2	23 50	5.0
15 ..	7 57	8.8	15 30	5.4	20 09	5.7	23 17	5.5
16 ..	8 14	8.8	16 21	4.7	.....	.....	.....	.....
17 ..	8 30	9.0	17 06	4.0	.....	.....	.....	.....
18 ..	8 44	9.1	17 45	3.4	.....	.....	.....	.....
19 ..	9 05	9.3	18 23	2.7	.....	.....	.....	.....
20 ..	9 42	9.5	18 58	2.0	.....	.....	.....	.....
21 ..	10 26	9.7	19 34	1.5	.....	.....	.....	.....
22 ..	11 16	9.8	20 11	1.0	.....	.....	.....	.....
23 ..	12 08	9.8	20 46	1.0	.....	.....	.....	.....
24 ..	5 40	8.4	8 24	8.0	13 01	9.5	21 34	1.2
25 ..	5 36	8.3	9 25	7.5	13 55	9.1	22 02	1.7
26 ..	5 48	8.4	10 26	6.8	14 55	8.5	22 46	2.5
27 ..	6 07	8.5	11 28	6.0	16 08	7.7	23 16	3.5
28 ..	6 28	8.7	12 35	5.2	17 19	7.0	23 50	4.5
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The time used is Pacific standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock, add 18.9 feet to the height of high water as above given.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock, add 20 feet to the height of high water as above given.

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1936.

Date	Rises	Sets
1	11 25 a.m.	0 15 a.m.
(First quarter on 1st)		
2	11 51 a.m.	1 35 a.m.
3	12 21 p.m.	2 53 a.m.
4	12 58 p.m.	4 09 a.m.
5	1 43 p.m.	5 21 a.m.
6	2 39 p.m.	6 24 a.m.
7	3 42 p.m.	7 18 a.m.
8	4 52 p.m.	7 57 a.m.
(Full moon on 8th)		
9	6 02 p.m.	8 30 a.m.
10	7 11 p.m.	8 56 a.m.
11	8 18 p.m.	9 18 a.m.
12	9 23 p.m.	9 36 a.m.
13	10 28 p.m.	9 54 a.m.
14	11 32 p.m.	10 11 a.m.
15	.....	10 30 a.m.
16	0 36 a.m.	10 50 a.m.
(Last quarter on 16th)		
17	1 42 a.m.	11 14 a.m.
18	2 49 a.m.	11 44 a.m.
19	3 55 a.m.	12 22 p.m.
20	4 58 p.m.	1 10 p.m.
21	5 55 a.m.	2 09 p.m.
22	6 43 a.m.	3 20 p.m.
23	7 22 a.m.	4 37 p.m.
24	7 55 a.m.	5 58 p.m.
(New moon on 24th)		
25	8 27 a.m.	7 20 p.m.
26	8 46 a.m.	8 41 p.m.
27	9 08 a.m.	10 02 p.m.
28	9 30 a.m.	11 22 p.m.
29	9 35 a.m.	.....
30	10 24 a.m.	0 42 a.m.
(First quarter on 30th)		
31	10 59 a.m.	1 58 a.m.

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of January 3, 1886)

Telegraph Facilities—The cities of San Francisco, Sacramento, Virginia City, Salt Lake, Ogden, Butte, Helena and Portland were in direct telegraphic communication with Victoria last night.

Victoria Freight—Four cars of bonded freight from Eastern Canada arrived on New Year's Day and one carload of American flour. This would seem to indicate that our merchants do not anticipate any decrease in trade.

The Bark Arabella—A heavy southeast gale on Friday night seriously impaired the chances of hauling off the stranded bark Arabella, and that idea has now been abandoned. About 40,000 feet of lumber has been taken from her, and as soon as the sea goes down, as much lumber as possible will be removed.

Week of Prayer—The week of prayer will be observed here next week. The following meetings will be held: Monday evening, First Presbyterian Church; Tuesday evening, Gorge Road Methodist Church; Wednesday evening, Baptist Church; Thursday evening, Pandora Avenue Methodist Church; Friday evening, First Presbyterian Church. The meetings are to commence at 7:30 o'clock.

Funeral Will Bring To End Strange Case In Medical History

Relatives of Magdalen Islander Finally Agree to Permit Burial One Week After Two Doctors Certify to Death

ETANG DU NORD, Magdalen Islands, Jan. 2 (AP).—Grieving relatives, who for more than a week refused to permit burial of Didier Fougere, although two doctors had pronounced him dead, tonight admitted that death had claimed the seventy-one-year-old fishery officer.

Signs of life said to have been seen after the first doctor pronounced him dead on December 24 were no longer to be found, and there was unmistakable evidence that rigor mortis had set in.

ENDS STRANGE CASE

The funeral will probably be held tomorrow, bringing to an end one of the strangest cases to be found in Canadian medical history.

For twelve days, Didier Fougere had lain on his bed near a kitchen stove while the fisherfolk of Etang du Nord wondered whether he was dead or alive.

For twelve days after his apparent death his limbs could be moved freely. A mirror placed in front of his mouth would become clouded, and heart action was indicated when pressure exerted on his body formed white marks which filled in to natural color within a few seconds.

WAS PRONOUNCED DEAD

During that time he lay without nourishment and without medical attention because doctors said he was dead.

Apparently Fougere died early in the morning on Sunday, December 22. He had sat up all night talking to three friends, as animated as usual but complaining of a pain in his back. At 5 o'clock Sunday morning he decided to retire, but collapsed, exhausted, before he had undressed.

Since then he had spoken to no one, but relatives who watched him closely said he moved slightly at times between then and Tuesday, when Dr. Francois Guimont arrived and pronounced him dead.

FUNERAL DELAYED

Burial was to have taken place on Christmas Day, twenty-four hours after Dr. Guimont had been able to reach the isolated village from Grindstone. Just before the last rites of the Roman Catholic Church were to have been administered, however, friends discovered signs of life, and Mgr. J. A. H. Blacquiere agreed that the funeral should be delayed a few days.

CHEAPER IN MICHIGAN

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 2 (AP).—The Michigan State liquor monopoly reduced prices of forty-two brands of whisky from $1.10 to 85 cents a bottle today as a result of the new reciprocal trade treaty with Canada. Twenty of the brands are imported.

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CONSERVATION IS STRONGLY URGED

Publicity Bureau Wants Timber Left Bordering Main Highways On the Island

Determination to continue their fight for the conservation of natural forests through which several of the Island highways wind, was strongly expressed by directors of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau at a meeting yesterday.

The bureau previously, on two occasions, requested Hon. A. W. Gray, Minister of Lands, to bring Government pressure to bear on the matter. Following the reading, yesterday, of a reply from the minister, the directors instructed George I. Warren, publicity commissioner, to write Premier T. D. Pattullo and Hon. George S. Pearson, Minister of Labor and Mines, regarding the matter. The Associated Boards of Trade will also be called upon to endorse the efforts of the local bureau.

Directors favor exerting every effort to preserve Cathedral Grove, which stand of timber will be logged off shortly, according to reports. They point out the value of this stand and other tall timbers as tourist attractions.

Mayor David Leeming declared, "You will find some day that Vancouver Island is a desert of stumps, and the Island will not have received any revenue."

TRANSPORTATION PIONEER PASSES

William H. Bose, Famous Bull-Team Driver of Cariboo, Dies At Ashcroft

ASHCROFT, Jan. 2 (AP).—William H. Bose, seventy-eight, pioneer resident of Ashcroft and last survivor of the Cariboo bull-team drivers of the seventies, died Tuesday after a lengthy illness.

Born in Hanover, Germany, Mr. Bose came to British Columbia in 1875. In 1876 he formed a partnership with the late Oliver Evans. The two purchased two eight-yoke ox teams and one six-yoke ox team, and for twelve years hauled freight between Yale and Barkerville, making two trips a year.

The Evans-Bose ox teams were the last to haul a load of freight out of Yale before the completion of the Canadian Pacific Railway in 1885.

Surviving are one son, Manny, of Ashcroft, and two daughters, Mrs. F. Matheson, of Vancouver, and Mrs. Charles Cleaveley, of Blackpool, North Kamloops district.

ROBBED BY GUNMAN

CAMDEN, N.J., Jan. 2 (AP).—Mrs. Samuel Shane was robbed of $11,380 by a gunman, who stopped her as she was carrying the money to a bank today.

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MISS WIGLEY PASSES AWAY

President of Women's Workroom Committee Dies After Month's Illness

A well-known and widely-loved Victoria woman passed away yesterday in the death of Miss Mary Anna Wigley, who succumbed shortly after 3 o'clock at the Belfield Nursing Home, 1263 Richardson Street, where she had been a patient since she suffered a stroke about a month ago.

Born in Brampton, Ontario, Miss Wigley had been a resident of the city for the past thirty-eight years, and had a host of friends here. Public-spirited and generous in her sympathies, she gave her services unstintedly to good works, and during the past few years was particularly identified with the Women's Workroom. She was president of the board when illness struck her down a few weeks ago, and will always be remembered particularly for the splendid way in which she managed the financing of an undertaking that has proved a godsend to scores of women in need of employment during the past years of depression. From their Christmas party a little more than a week ago, the women sent a special expression of sympathy and affection to Miss Wigley as she lay in the hospital.

ACTIVE CLUBWOMAN

She was also an active clubwoman. Practically since the inception of the Business and Professional Women's Club she had held office or committee position. Last Summer, during the visit here of the international delegates, she played very active part in the organization arrangements, and was specially mentioned in the visitors' resolution of thanks and appreciation to their Victoria hostesses. In her professional capacity, she had held the position of accountant for Heisterman & Manzer for some years.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at St. John's Church, Rev. Canon Chadwick officiating. Interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company is in charge of funeral arrangements.

A sister living in Seattle is expected to arrive here this morning.

Resuming Twilight Recitals

The popular Sunday afternoon "Twilight Recitals," which have been held here during the Winter months for several years, will begin this year on Sunday, January 5, twelve programmes for twelve successive weeks being announced.

The first of the series will take place at Fairfield United Church, beginning at 3 o'clock. The other eleven programmes will take place at the Victoria City Temple, 842 North Park Street, which has a seating capacity of 1,100. No admission will be charged, but a free-will offering will be taken.

The complete list follows:

January 5, at Fairfield United Church—Combined choirs of Fairfield United and St. Andrew's Presbyterian Churches.

January 12, at Victoria City Temple — Metropolitan United Church Choir.

January 19, at Victoria City Temple—First United Church Choir.

January 26, at Victoria City Temple—Centennial United Church Choir.

February 2, at Victoria City Temple—Fairfield United Church Choir.

February 9, at Victoria City Temple—Schubert Club.

February 16, at Victoria City Temple—Oak Bay United Church Choir.

February 23, at Victoria City Temple — Garden City United Church Choir.

March 1, at Victoria City Temple—Victoria Male Choir.

March 8, at Victoria City Temple—Beaver Club.

March 15, at Victoria City Temple—Masonic Choir.

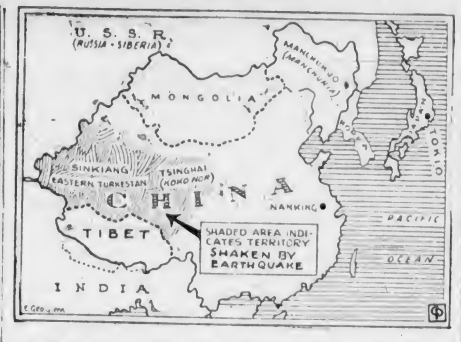
March 22, at Victoria City Temple—Musical Art Club.

THREE KILLED WHEN BUILDING COLLAPSES

HAVANA, Jan. 2 (AP).—At least three persons were killed and eighteen injured in the collapse of an old two-story building, police announced tonight. Three persons were missing.

The building fell while workmen were adding another story to the structure.

Chinese Earthquake Rends Mountains



A terrific earthquake which is said to have split mountains in twain and taken thousands of lives is reported from Szechewan Province and Interior China. The character of the country rent by the earth tremor is graphically shown in the above picture showing a little walled "town" of a few houses, built to protect the owners from bandits. For the most part a hard and rugged country, nevertheless millions of Chinese, under Communist form of government, exist in lands such as those shown. Part of the provinces are rich in minerals, especially silver, and parts are arable, especially along the Yangtze River. The area affected by the earthquake is shown in the accompanying map.

Salary Cuts Are Partially Given Back by Rithets

AS a New Year's gift to its employees, and indicating confidence in the outlook for the year, Rithets Consolidated has partially restored cuts in salaries made during the depression.

Harry Barnes, yesterday, confirmed the report, adding that total restoration would depend on how much business improved during 1936. However, conditions at present look much brighter than they have since the depression reached it lowest ebb, he said.

Obituary

VEITCH—The funeral of the late Mrs. Lillian Veitch was held yesterday. Relatives and a large gathering of friends attended the service, which was conducted by Rev. W. R. Brown. Many flowers were received and the hymns sung were "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "Lead, Kindly Light." The pallbearers were R. Ferguson, R. A. Graham, E. Hinchcliffe and W. Hinchcliffe. Interment took place in Colwood Burial Park.

CAMPBELL—The remains of Mrs. Catherine Mary Campbell, who passed away on December 30, were forwarded last night to Vancouver for cremation.

MESHER—Mrs. Belinda Mesher, of 905 Ellery Street, passed away in St. Joseph's Hospital, Thursday morning, aged sixty-six years. Mrs. Mesher was born in Labrador and came to Victoria to reside in 1920. She is survived by one son, Albert Edward Mesher, of Victoria; two sisters and two brothers in Labrador; one sister in Niagara Falls, N.Y.; also four grandchildren in this city. Funeral services will be conducted on Saturday at 1:30 o'clock in the Sands Mortuary Chapel, Rev. J. A. Hughes will officiate and the remains will be laid at rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

DAWKINS—There passed away in Toronto after a long illness, Mrs. Pauline Dawkins, widow of J. B. Dawkins. Mrs. Dawkins was a former resident of Victoria, having left this city to make her home in Toronto four years ago. She was born in England eighty-two years ago. Funeral services will be conducted in Toronto. The remains, following cremation, will be forwarded to Victoria for interment in the family plot. Funeral arrangements are in charge of Sands Mortuary, Ltd.

SOULE—The funeral of the late Violet Soule, of Hornby Island, who passed away in this city on December 30, was held on Thursday morning. Rev. T. H. McAllister conducted the service, during which the hymn, "Shall We Gather at the River?," was sung. Interment was made in Colwood Burial Park, with the following acting as pallbearers: P. W. Gilson, J. A. Hibberson, J. B. Clearihue and A. M. Clearihue.

SHINGLE.—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Wednesday, there passed away Thomas Shingles, aged seventy-nine years, of 549 Kelvin Road. Mr. Shingles was born in London and had been a resident of this city for the last twenty-eight years. He is survived by one son, Herbert, with whom he resided, and three grandchildren. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at McCall Bros.' Funeral Home at 3:15 o'clock. Major Robert Fullerton will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

MARTIN — Funeral services for Mrs. Margaret Martin, who passed away Tuesday at Tranquille, will be conducted Saturday at 2 p.m., at McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, Rev. James Hyde officiating. Interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

HILLS — Many friends attended the funeral of the late Lottie Hills, wife of Horace Hills, which was held on Thursday afternoon at St. John's Church. Rev. Canon Chadwick conducted the service, after which the remains were forwarded to Seattle for cremation. The hymns sung were "Hark, My Soul, It Is the Lord" and "Dear Lord and Father of Mankind." The following were the pallbearers: L. H. Cole, H. W. Goodrich, F. G. Gray and H. Mattock.

Manitoba May Lower Wage Tax

WINNIPEG, Jan. 2 (AP).—To ease the burden on lower-paid workers, changes in Manitoba's 2 per cent wage tax will probably be made at the next session of the Legislature, the Provincial Government announced today. Labor organizations have pressed for revision of the tax.

Strike Leader to Take Reeveship

TORONTO, Jan. 2 (AP).—Arthur Williams, East York strike leader, was today preparing to take over the position of reeve in the township. Yesterday he defeated John Warren, 1935 reeve, by a plurality of seventy-eight votes in a five-way contest.

Three elders of a Glasgow church were discussing the merits of their minister's sermons.

"He's wonderful," said the first. "I mind him preaching three sermons from one text."

"But that's nothing to old Jones," said another. "I mind him preaching six sermons from the shortest text in the Book."

"Oh," said the third man, puffing slowly and thoughtfully at his pipe, "that's nothing to my wife. She's been preaching at me for thirty years from no text at all."

Little Stories for Bedtime

A Pleasant Visit

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

Sitting safe and comfortable in the hollow stump to which Whitefoot the Woodmouse had led him, Danny Meadow Mouse told Whitefoot all about his adventures from the time he had visited the Smiling Pool right up to the moment when Whitefoot had come to his rescue. Whitefoot listened without saying a word until Danny's story was ended. Then he gravely shook his head.

"It was a crazy thing to do, Cousin Danny. It certainly was a crazy thing to do," said he.

"What was a crazy thing to do?" demanded Danny, looking puzzled.

"Going so far away from home when there was no need of it," replied Whitefoot. "I thought you were too wish to take such foolish risks. At your age you should know better. It might be excusable in a youngster with no family to think of, but one of your age should have known better."

"I guess you are right, Cousin Whitefoot," replied Danny meekly. "I've learned a lesson I'll never forget. I've had frights enough to last me all the rest of my life and if I ever get home I'll never leave it again. I guess I ought to be starting along right now."

"I guess you ought to do nothing of the sort," retorted Whitefoot promptly. "The thing for you to do now is to rest and get yourself in condition."

Danny sighed. "I don't know but that you are right, Cousin Whitefoot," said he. "I really don't feel as if I could face danger again this night. My nerves are rather upset. This is a very nice, comfortable place you have here. It is one of the most comfortable places I've been in for a great while."

Whitefoot looked pleased. "I'm glad you like it," said he. "I think it is rather good myself. I have two or three other places quite as good. Now the thing for you to do, Cousin Danny is to stay here the rest of the night and make yourself right at home."

"What was a crazy thing to do?" demanded Danny, looking puzzled

To this Danny agreed, for he really did not feel equal to going any farther that night. So he and Whitefoot slept a little and talked a great deal. Danny learned many things about the Green Forest and in turn told Whitefoot many things about the Green Meadows. Whitefoot was sure that the Green Forest was the finest place in all the Great World in which to live. Danny was sure that it didn't compare with the Green Meadows, and they argued the matter over and over. But the argument was quite good-natured and simply showed that the things one is used to are the things one loves best. To Danny the Green Forest was filled with terrible dangers. To Whitefoot the Green Meadows seemed a place where there could be no such thing as real safety. So they argued and had a perfectly splendid time.

Next Story: "Danny's Home-Coming."

SUBSCRIPTIONS ACKNOWLEDGED

Clothing Division of City Relief Office Expresses Thanks

Alderman T. W. Hawkins, chairman of the relief committee of the City Council, yesterday acknowledged the appreciation of his committee and the volunteer workers in the relief clothing department of the city relief office, for the generous support given by the public during the month of December.

Donations were as follows:

CASH DONATIONS

Previously acknowledged, $33; Mr. Harris, $10; Sir Frank and Lady Barnard, $100; Mrs. Ernest D. Todd, $25; Mrs. L. M. Dunsmuir, $100, Mr. and Mrs. H. Stuart Henderson, $5; Colonel F. A. Lindsay, $10; Mrs. Fowler, $2; total, $285.

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Mrs. Higginbottom, Mrs. Whitehead, Mrs. Goerlick, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Burdett, Miss Fitzgibbon, Dr. Luden, Mr. Sergeant, Mrs. Gokey, Mrs. H. Wyles, Major and Mrs. Macnaughton, Mrs. Mathews, Dr. Verrinder, Mrs. Van der Vliet, Mrs. G. Tyson, Mrs. Panet, Mr. Turnbull, Mrs. Lancaster, Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. Norman Scott, R. Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heisterman, Mrs. Will Spencer, H. J. Ketchen, Aged Ladies' Home, J. Holland, Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. Pangman, Friendly Help Welfare Association, Miss Campbell, Mrs. W. C. Todd, Mrs. Wardman, Andrew Sheret, Miss Renny, Mrs. Brothers, Mrs. Ridgeway, Sarah, Mr. Husband, Mrs. Valiant, Mrs. Dumbleton, Miss Lake, Lorne Ogilvie, Miss Gill, Mrs. A. M. Menzies, Miss Kerman, Mrs. C. A. Mudge, Mrs. C. W. Hawkins, E. W. Whittington, Dick's Dress Store, Malleck's, Ltd., Pantorium, Mrs. Brady, Mrs. C. M. Roberts, Miss Chambers, R. W. Shannon, Mrs. Boughey, Miss Messenger, Mrs. H. R. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Lee-Warner, Eight Friends, Mrs. Terry, Mrs. Roger Monteith, Miss Stark, Mrs. Gale, Mrs. Carlos, Mrs. White, Mr. Wormwood, Mrs. Lyle, Mrs. Holden, Mrs. Crowther, Mrs. Phil Taylor, Dr. Hudson, Mrs. Lawson, Mrs. Bale, R. Taylor, Mrs. Rive, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. R. Johnson, Mrs. A. T. Goward, F. X. O'Neil, Tom Watson and ten anonymous.

Furniture, fruit, vegetables.

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Mrs. J. W. Spencer, Viny Street, Mrs. Panet, Mrs. Linnel, Mr. Sergeant, Mrs. Stidder, Aged Ladies' Home, Mrs. W. C. Todd, Mrs. Wiley, D. A. Macdonald, Miss Watson, three anonymous, Mrs. Gallon, Miss Cox, Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. F. Mullet.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONCERT HELD

Students of St. John's Enjoy Supper and Entertainment—Prizes Distributed

The Christmas entertainment of St. John's Church Sunday School was held in the auditorium this week, and proved to be one of the most successful and enjoyable events held by this school.

A very well-arranged supper was served to the scholars and guests, after which there was a carol service held in the church. Later, the following programme was presented: "An Endless Tale," Raymond Gandy, Alan Day, Elmer Curtis and Jack Noel; song, "Bells Sweetly Ringing," by Eric Goodwin; "Christmas Lullaby," by chorus of senior girls; song, "Away in the Manger," by Miriam Brice; play, "Great Aunt Barbara," by the W.A. Girls; song by Iris Smith; recitation by Madeleine MacFarlane; song and recitations, "When I Grow Up," by Mrs. Slocomb and Miss Malcom's girls' classes; recitation, "Santa Claus," by Marjorie Noel; recitation by Ilace Roskelley; dance by Helen Christian; song, "Jolly Old St. Nicholas," by Eric Goodwin, and recitation, "The Night Before Christmas," by Sylvia Schofield.

EXTENDS THANKS

Rev. Canon Chadwick presided and congratulated the Sunday school on its successful work during the past year, and thanked all who had worked so hard to make the Christmas entertainment such an outstanding success. The superintendent, C. M. Parrott, assisted by Santa Claus, distributed the prizes and thanked all the members of the staff for their able co-operation during the past year.

A notable feature of the prize-giving was that seven scholars had been present at every session of the Sunday school during 1935. An enjoyable evening came to a close by singing the National Anthem.

Send Your SMOCKS TO New Method LAUNDRIES LIMITED

Officers and members of the I.O.O.F. Lodges are requested to meet at the Hall, Douglas Street, Friday, at 1:30 o'clock, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Bro. Ray, of Blue Heal Lodge, No. 93, Canton, Mass.
C. HASTINGS,
Secretary, G.R.B., I.O.O.F.

Sunday School Hoopsters Will Open Play-Offs

Three play-off fixtures are billed tomorrow evening at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium for quintettes in the Sunday School Basketball League. In the curtain-raiser, scheduled to commence at 7 o'clock, Chinese Students and Y.M.C.A. junior squads will meet, with New Method and Chinese Students intermediate cagers playing in the second tussle. The final attraction on the card will bring together St. Louis College and Oak Bay in the intermediate open division of the loop.

Silver Markets

LONDON, Jan. 2 (AP).—Bar silver quiet, ⅛ lower at 22⅝d.

AT NEW YORK

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BUTTER, Creamery, 3 lbs. for 85¢
CHEESE, medium, lb. 25¢
COFFEE, Blue Ribbon, per lb. 34¢
TEA, Salada, lb. 49¢
EGGS, "A," medium, per doz. 32¢
OATS, Ogilvie 6 lbs. 33¢
PEACHES, Lynn, 2½'s 27¢
LUX, 1 large, 1 reg. for 23¢

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FLOUR, Featherlite Pastry, 7's 27¢
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PEAS, Bestoval 3 tins 28¢
TEA, Broken Pekoe, lb., 39¢
CHEESE, Cha Feau, pkt. 16¢
SOUP, Tomato, C. & B., 3 tins for 23¢
SODAS, Ormond's, pkt., 19¢
SYRUP, Rogers, 2's, ea., 17¢
COFFEE, Malahat, fresh ground, lb. 27¢
SAGO and TAPIOCA, 3 lbs. for 21¢
MACARONI, cut, 3 lbs. 20¢
OXYDOL, small pkt. 7¢
CLEANSER, Royal Crown, per tin 6¢
SOAP, Pearl White, at 7 for 23¢
SOAP, Lifebuoy, 3 for 21¢
SOAP FLAKES 3 lbs. 25¢

Vegetables and Fruit

GRAPEFRUIT, large, at 7 for 25¢
LEMONS, juicy, doz. 18¢
APPLES, King, box $1.89
Delicious / Jonathan 5 lbs. 25¢
POTATOES, Gems, 10 lbs. for 19¢
ONIONS 8 lbs. 19¢
CAULIFLOWER, each, 10¢ and 15¢
SAVOYS, each 5¢

HONEY, Island Fireweed, lb. 15c Bring Own Container

CANDY

CREAMS and JELLIES, assorted, lb. 23¢
GINGER CUPS, lb. 15¢
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GINGER SNAPS, 2 lbs. 25¢

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Shoulders, lb. 12¢
Loins and Legs, lb 25¢
Chops, lb. 20¢

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Prime Ribs, cut short, lb 20¢
Rump Roasts, lb. 18¢
Rolled Ribs, lb 15¢

Pork

Shoulders, lb. 13¢
Loins and Legs, lb. 24¢
Pure Pork Sausage, lb 20¢
Reception Mincemeat, 2 lbs. for 25¢

Fresh Poultry

Turkeys, 7 to 10 lbs., lb. 30
Chicken, 3½ to 4½ lbs., per lb. 30¢
Geese, 9 to 12 lbs., lb. 25¢
Fowl, 3 to 4 lbs., lb. 20¢
Fletcher's Hams, whole or shank, lb. 27¢
Fletcher's Side Bacon, sliced, per lb. 35¢
Sweet Pickled Rolls, lb. 22¢
Choice Bacon, sliced, lb. 30¢
Roast Pork, lb 45¢
Corned Beef and Headcheese, per lb. 15¢
Boiled Ham, lb. 45¢
Beef Dripping, lb 10¢

CASH AND CARRY MEATS

Mutton

Shoulders, lb. 8¢
Loins, lb. 10¢
Legs, lb. 13¢
Stewing, lb. 6¢

Veal

Shoulders, lb. 11¢
Legs and Rumps, lb 20¢

Beef

Pot Roasts, lb. 8¢
Boiling, lb. 6¢
Rump Roasts, lb 12¢

ANNEX TO HOME IS SUGGESTED

Superintendent of Aged Men's Institution Recommends Small Addition

To avoid overcrowding and to keep temperamental cases apart, G. Harvard, superintendent of the Aged Men's Home, yesterday recommended to the City Council that a small addition to the present building be erected. Mr. Harvard suggested that no better use could be made of the $2,200 bequest from the Martha Moorehouse estate than that recommended.

Erection of the addition would overcome the difficulty now experienced when the basement has to be used for cripples unable to climb stairs.

In making the recommendation, Mr. Harvard also submitted his annual report, which showed expenditures amounting to $11,365. Receipts from various sources during the year amounted to $4,365, and the institution had a surplus out of its annual appropriation of $250.

At present there are forty inmates at the institution. Eight men were admitted during the year.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 500 words in length.

SLANG ON THE RADIO

Sir,—I could not help commenting on the item in The Colonist, "Slang on the Radio." I thought it was one of the best programmes I have heard, and what you called slang I think gave it that joyful and happy mood that should prevail at Christmas time. I do not like unruly children and I think there are times when slang would be out of place. But what makes a mother's heart so glad as to say, "Well, son, you have been a good boy now; go and put on your old clothes and boots and have a good time," and when he returns all covered with mud, and mother kisses that dirty face and, smiling, says, "Had a good time, son?" and he laughs and says, "You bet, mum." That's not slang; it's a joyful phrase, because that same boy if asked at the dinner table if he had had sufficient would most likely say, "Yes, thank you, mama."

There are too many so-called saints trying to take joy out of life by their "goody-goody" stuff. Why they would be shocked if on Sunday you were to stroke a poor dog or pick up a poor starving cat, and to make a joke on Sunday, as I generally do to an old lady I always sit by in church. "Oh, yes, I go to church, but am not one of the "goody-goody" sort, or I would not joke and smile, especially in church I've often wondered where those class of saints would delegate me to; I mean the narrow-minded person that wrote "Slang on the Radio."

THEODORE BALCOMBE.

1484 Finlayson Avenue, Victoria, B.C., January 2, 1935.

OAK BAY FRIENDLY HELP

Sir,—Through the columns of your paper the committee of the Oak Bay Friendly Help would like to thank Miss Dermot Baillie and her group of carol singers for their thoughtfulness during this Christmas season. Once again they placed several loads of fuel at our disposal and enabled us to put warmth and cheer into homes where it was needed.

ELEANOR HUDSON, Secretary.

Oak Bay Avenue, Oak Bay, B.C., December 31, 1935.

TAXING CAPITAL

Sir,—Reading your very constructive and concise editorial under the above caption in your issue of the 29th—might it not be more definitely described as an impost on productivity? I feel inclined to turn your word picture into mathematical phraseology. We have three accounts: Productively or taxable account, taxation or administrative account, and extravagance account—balanced budgets, etc.—which in the phraseology of the "East Side" is euphoniously called "nigger rich."

We have in productivity account a $20,000,000 investment—as a postulate—with a 2 per cent taxation impost, enabling us to credit administrative account with $400,000 per year. This investment coming under the enactments of death dues, $10,000,000 is transferred to extravagance account, while administrative account loses $200,000 per year. As to the unearned increment in this investment, and benefits to administrative account, or its more than probable impairment by loss of capital and positive effect on labor, it would be impossible to conjecture with any degree of certainty. Let me relate a story briefly, if not an encroachment on space, that would seem applicable.

A man had a flock of fowl and after meeting his food obligation, with distaste, had a "brain wave." He conceived the idea of, by degrees, mixing his food mash with sawdust, and continuing the lessing of the cereal by its substitute the sawdust, by inuration, to feed them entirely on sawdust. So obsessed by the reduction of his feed outlay, without regard to his egg production, he awoke one morning to find his chickens dead by starvation. Moral: Let us not throttle productivity by over-administration.

JNO. DOUGALL.

1322 Broad Street, Victoria, B.C., December 31, 1935.

A candidate addressing his constituency was surprised by a voice which, calling from the back of the hall, said: "Well, I don't care what you say, I wouldn't vote for you if you were the Angel Gabriel."

Came the reply: "If I were the Angel Gabriel, you wouldn't be in my constituency."

Flyers Drop Bombs to Halt Lava Flow

—Central Press Photographs

Five army airplanes bombarded Mauna Loa volcano on the island of Hawaii recently in man's first attempt to turn back a lava eruption with his own devices. Twenty 600-pound bombs dropped and exploded on the river of molten rock that for five weeks had been creeping menacingly toward the city of Hilo and its water reservoirs. Upper photo shows a crowd watching lava approaching the Bay of Hoopuloa during one of Mauna Loa's recent eruptions. Lower photo shows a scene not far from Hilo with a torrent of flaming lava crushing trees in its path.

TORONTO RECTOR TO BE VANCOUVER DEAN

TORONTO, Jan. 2 (C.)—Rev. W. R. Ramsey Armitage, rector of the Church of Messiah, has accepted an invitation to become dean of Christ Church Cathedral, Vancouver, he announced today. It is not definite when he will assume his new duties.

Assistant (to old lady who has handed in a badly-spelled telegram): "I can read everything so far, but what is this word?"

Old Lady: "Never mind that, miss, it's none of your business. They'll know at the other end."

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1936

Date	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	8.06	4.27	17	8.03	4.47
2	8.06	4.28	18	7.59	4.49
3	8.06	4.29	19	7.58	4.50
4	8.06	4.30	20	7.57	4.52
5	8.05	4.31	21	7.56	4.53
6	8.05	4.32	22	7.55	4.55
7	8.05	4.33	23	7.54	4.56
8	8.05	4.34	24	7.53	4.58
9	8.05	4.35	25	7.52	4.59
10	8.05	4.37	26	7.51	5.01
11	8.04	4.38	27	7.50	5.02
12	8.04	4.40	28	7.49	5.04
13	8.03	4.41	29	7.47	5.05
14	8.03	4.43	30	7.46	5.07
15	8.02	4.44	31	7.45	5.08
16	8.01	4.46			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

Announcements

Moles, Warts, Superfluous Hair, all these hateful blemishes which make miserable the lives of sensitive men and women may be removed with absolute safety by electrolysis. It is impossible to be unconscious of a fact which stares one in the face every time one picks up a mirror. Moreover, is it not foolish to put up with something so unbeautiful when one need not. Consultations are free of any obligation. Will you not investigate? The cost will not frighten you. Miss Hanman, 503 Sayward Bldg. Phone G 7642.

Our Printing Brings Results. A well-designed and attractive label on your goods will always bring you business. Let us show you samples of our work. The Colonist, 1211 Broad Street. Phone G 5241.

Victoria Musical Arts Society—January meeting at Empress Hotel, Wednesday, January 8, at 8:30. Programme of ancient and modern music. Guest tickets, 50c.

Women's Canadian Club—Tuesday, January 7, Empress Hotel, Dr. Kaye Lamb, "Iron Horse Goes Mountain Climbing." Soloist, Miss Bunny Applegate.

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Victoria School of Art—Ina D. D. Uhthoff, G.S.A., new location, 1336 Beach Drive. G 6161.

City and District

Safety Committee — Members of the safety committee of the Victoria Automobile Club will meet on Tuesday at 12:30 p.m., in Speedie's Cafe.

Meeting Postponed—Ward Three Liberal Association has postponed its meeting until Friday, January 17, owing to the holiday season.

Many Purses Lost—No less than ten purses were lost on New Year's Day, according to city police, but none contained more than a few cents. Several were recovered, without their contents.

Steal Pens — Thieves who forced their way into the premises of the Victoria Box & Paper Company, 1202 Wharf Street, stole three dozen fountain pens and a quantity of postage stamps, police reported yesterday.

More Commissioners — Fourteen Provincial election commissioners were appointed by the Provincial Government yesterday in Vancouver-Burrard. The date of by-elections there and Omineca have not yet been announced.

Extend Moth Control—In a Provincial order-in-council yesterday, the Government extended the area covered by the Vernon codling moth control district. A relief loan of $5,200 was made to North Vancouver district.

Cancel Debentures — Fernie was granted leave by the Provincial Government yesterday to cancel its own debentures, held in sinking funds, to the extent of $341,000. Tax adjustment by-laws were approved for several Mainland areas.

Thanks Bureau—Mayor H. F. Prevost, of Duncan, in a letter read to directors, yesterday, thanked the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau for the work it had done during 1935 for the entire Island and especially Duncan.

Tracks Approved—The Provincial Government yesterday approved plans for a logging railway to be operated by the Kapoor Lumber Company from Mile 36.5 on the Canadian National line on the Island, southeasterly to the Malahat district.

Rehearsal Tonight—The Victoria Choral Union will hold its rehearsal tonight, at 8 o'clock, in Memorial Hall. A report of the last performance of "The Messiah" will be given and plans for the future will be discussed. All singers are requested to bring their own copies of Brahms' "Requiem."

Travel Directors — Some sixty members of the Olympic Peninsula Hotel and Resort Association will visit Victoria, January 18, and will be greeted by officials of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau. They will have luncheon at the Dominion Hotel and dinner at the Empress Hotel.

Continuing Efforts—The Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau is continuing its efforts to have the Canadian Radio Commission install a broadcasting unit in the city. George I. Warren, publicity commissioner, told directors yesterday that no mention was made of Victoria on the New Year's coast-to-coast broadcast of the Canadian Radio Commission.

Theft Charge — Alex Daniel, charged with the theft of an automobile on January 1, had an adjournment taken yesterday on the representation of the city prosecutor that the accused was in the hospital and that he was not able to say exactly when he would be ready to appear in court. The case will be called later.

Appeared in Court — David M. Sloan appeared in the city police court yesterday on the complaint that he had been found by night loitering in a yard adjoining the store and residence of Henry Stanley, 306 Edward Street. C. L. Harrison, city prosecutor, said that the owner of the property did not wish to lay a charge against the arrested man and, therefore, recommended his discharge, which was acted upon.

Did More Business — While returns for the province as a whole were lacking, British Columbia Liquor Board officials estimated yesterday that there had been a gain of 10 per cent in the volume of trade done at vendors' stores during the holiday season. Sales in December, 1934, amounted to $1,300,000, pointing to possibly $130,000 in additional business in the month just closed.

Makes Application—Mary Lindsey Eek, who was born in Scotland, but who married Asbjorn P. Eek, chief of police of Shanghai, China, and lived for some time in the Orient, is now applying to become a Canadian citizen. Since 1927, Mrs. Eek has been resident in this city, having come here with her husband on his retirement. Her husband died in 1931. Mrs. Eek has made formal application to become a Canadian citizen and her application will be considered in the County Court at the April sitting.

West Saanich

The pupils of the West Saanich School held their annual concert recently when many parents and friends were present. A short programme was given by the children, including Walter Sidwell, Herbert Chubb, Marguerite Spencer, Leona Francis and Norma Poulson. Following the programme, presents were distributed from the decorated tree and tea was served to the guests. Prizes for the best work during the term were awarded as follows: Division I, arithmetic, George Watt, Myrtle Sluggett and Corinne Young; spelling, Alan Hutchinson, Gillian Gore-Langton and Dudley Atkins; progress, Walter Sidwell. Division II, spelling, Beverly Young and Billy Hunter; silent reading, Bobby Anderson; oral reading, Margaret Richardson and Louis Hafer; arithmetic, Ivan Finlay; writing, David Duncan; progress, Leona Francis.

CAPETOWN, (C.)—To score ten runs off one hit is an event in cricket. In a local match the ball, hit to the boundary, lodged in a tin on the edge of the boundary. While a frantic search was made, the batsmen added ten to the score before one of the fielders had the presence of mind to call "Lost ball!"

At the London Naval Conference

Premier Baldwin, Centre, and Members of the British Naval Delegation, at the First Plenary Session of the Five-Power Naval Conference in London, England.

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WILL EXHIBIT IN AUSTRALIA

Dominion to Have Part in Australian Show Next May

OTTAWA, Jan. 2.—Some thirty Canadian industrial exhibits will be shown at the trade exhibition to be held at Adelaide, March 20 to May 16 as part of next year's centennial celebration of South Australia. While the exhibition is restricted to Empire countries and their products, the Canadian section is being arranged under direction of the Canadian Exhibition Commission of the Department of Trade and Commerce.

Canadian commodities expected to be exhibited include: Fish, meats, fruits as well as other preserved foods, leather goods, chemicals, automobiles, steelwares, stoves, bicycles and motorcycles, writing paper, clocks, toys, machinery, lamps, washing machines, carpet sweepers and vacuum cleaners, twine and string, blowers and fans, furniture and felt, wood products in general, hockey sticks, baseball bats and other sport goods.

PLAN ROYAL SHOW

The Spring exhibition will be followed later in the year by a centenary royal show at Adelaide and by racing, carnivals, an international cricket match, floral festivals, pageants and national games. All these events will lead up to the main ceremony which will be held December 28, 1936, at Glenelg, South Australia, where the declaration of the formation of the State of South Australia was made by Governor Hindmarsh on the same day 100 years before.

LONDON, (C.)—Retaining the open squash racquets championship of the British Isles, F. D. Amir Bey, the Indian player, recently defeated J. Dear, professional champion, 9-4, 9-7, 3-9, 9-7, at the Royal Automobile Club.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Regent Is Re-elected By Chapter

The Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter I.O.D.E. returned Mrs. Colin Cummins to the regency of the chapter by acclamation at the first meeting of the year yesterday. Mrs. R. B. McMicking was chosen unanimously as the honorary regent, and all but one of the other officers were returned by acclamation.

One new member was welcomed at the meeting and others have signified their intention of joining at the next meeting.

PICTURE PRESENTED

A vote of thanks was sent to Mrs. E. C. Hayward, formerly of Oak Bay, who is now in Surrey, England, for her kindness in donating a framed copy of the Taj Mahal in India, which is to be presented by the chapter to the Sir James Douglas School at Mrs. Hayward's request. Mrs. Hayward visited India several years ago and spoke of the Taj Mahal and her travels to the pupils of the school on her return to Victoria. Mrs. Hayward was the educational secretary of the chapter up to the time of her departure.

Mrs. Pillar, the present educational secretary, gave an interesting talk on the Taj Mahal, and was accorded a hearty vote of thanks.

CALENDARS GIVEN

The executive meeting, at which the reports of the officers will be received, will be held at the home of Miss Crease, Fort Street, on January 30 at 3 p.m. The educational secretary reported that fifty calendars had been distributed by the chapter. Ten were given to the Red Cross Workshop, soldiers' organizations, headquarters and public offices; two were sent to each of the following schools, Sir James Douglas, Burnside, Lake Cowichan, Murdale, Attache, Croydon Station and Port Clements. Thirty were sold to members.

The secretary read the Y.W.C.A. Travelers' Aid report, many members expressing their appreciation of the splendid work done by its much-needed and valued representative. Mrs. McMicking reported visiting the Seamen's Institute and the Red Cross Workshop, distributing smokes as Christmas gifts on behalf of the chapter.

The annual meeting will be held at headquarters on February 6 at 2:30 p.m.

The treasurer was authorized to pay all bills up to date and close the books, which will be audited by Miss E. Richardson, who so efficiently performed this office last year.

Clubs-Societies

Essbecee Club

The Essbecee Club has postponed its regular business meeting until Friday, January 10, when all members are expected to attend, as there will be much new business to discuss.

W.B.A. Pioneer Club

The W.B.A. Pioneer Club will meet at the home of Mrs. David Burnett, 1429 Richardson Street, tonight at 8 o'clock. All pioneers are asked to attend. Mrs. Caroline O'Brien, provincial deputy, will be present.

L.O.B.A. Members Choose Officers

The regular meeting of the Queen of the Island L.O.B.A. Lodge was held recently with Worthy Mistress H. E. Baker in the chair. After the business had been transacted, installation of officers took place. The right worshipful grand treasurer of British Columbia, Mrs. E. Trowsdale, acted as installing officer assisted by Mrs. Trowsdale, Sr., Mrs. Crawford, of Victoria Purple Star Lodge; Worthy Mistress E. Burke, of Britannia Lodge, and Mrs. A Edmonds, of Victoria Purple Star Lodge.

The following officers were installed: Worthy mistress, Mrs. H. E Baker; first committee lady, Mrs. E. Elesmore; chaplain, Mrs. C. Laing; recording secretary, Mrs. S. H. Ashworth; financial secretary, Mrs. A. Graham; treasurer, Mrs. C. Guptill; first lecturer, Mrs. E. Carlow; second lecturer, Mrs. A. Martin; director of ceremonies, Mrs. A. Sadler; inside guard, Mrs. A. McVie; third, fourth and fifth committees, Sisters Sadler, Carlow and Laing.

Other visitors were Worthy Mistress Mrs. Kendal, Mrs. Harper and Miss L. Edmonds, all of Victoria Purple Star Lodge. On behalf of Queen of the Island Lodge, the worthy mistress presented corsage bouquets to the installing officer and her assistants.

Annual Party Held

The annual Christmas party was held by the L.O.A., L.O.B.A. and J.O.A. recently in the Orange Hall. His Worship the Mayor opened the affair and gave a short talk on the meaning of Christmas.

Games and community singing were enjoyed, and Mr. John Gow entertained with sleight-of-hand tricks and a Punch and Judy show. Mr. M. Gornell gave selections on the harmonica. Refreshments were served by the committee, after which Santa Claus arrived, in the person of Mr. F. T. Rogers, and distributed oranges, candy, nuts and balloons to the children. The children gave three cheers for Mayor Leeming and joined in singing "He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

A Bonny Little Victorian

—Photograph by Victoria Studio.

This Lovely Baby Boy Is Robert John Scoular, Son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Scoular, of 1818 Crescent Road, and Grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. Scoular, Sr., 813 Island Road, and of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Peck, 1068 Bank Street.

Firemen's Ball Held at Duncan

DUNCAN, Jan. 2.—All attendance records were broken when more than 1,100 persons enjoyed the annual New Year's Eve ball given by the Duncan Volunteer Fire Department. The hall had been transformed with greenery, and a latticed ceiling of red and white, the firemen's colors, with streamers festooned to the walls, gave a pleasing effect. The stage was attractively arranged to accommodate the orchestra.

The firemen responsible for this successful ball were Chief J. W. Chaster, Deputy Chief A. O. Evans, Captain and Secretary H. Marsh, Captain W. Talbot, Messrs. B. McNichol, R. McDonald, H. Talbot, S. Pitt, J. Sutherland, W. R. Hattle, L. Talbot, G. McDonald, A. E. Wyatt, W. Arthur, J. W. Griffiths, R. J. Anderson, W. M. Sharcott, F. Sargent, W. Hudson and A. Sutherland.

Honorary members who assisted in many ways were H. W. Dickie, J. LeQuesne, D. R. Hattie, R. H. Whidden, W. S. McNichol, A. Townsend, C. Grassie, F. J. Willmott and D. Butt. Operatives of the B.C. Telephone Company and members of the Duncan detachment of the Provincial Police, who assist the firemen so much when an alarm comes in, were guests of the local fire fighters at the ball.

Visitors were noticed from Victoria, Nanaimo, Ladysmith, Chemainus and Lake Cowichan.

Mrs. H. Marsh, Mrs. B. McNichol and Miss Ina Castley were responsible for the supper-room decorations and Mesdames J. W. Chaster, W. Talbot, A. E. Wyatt and A. O. Evans assisted Mrs. E. Stock with supper.

At the Hotels

EMPRESS

Mr. and Mrs. W. White, Mr. and Mrs. R. Johnson, Mrs. H. W. Herchmer, Miss Anne Fountain, Mr. M. Millu, Mr. C. Myers, Mr. K. W. Schofield, Mr. H. J. Bailey, Mr. George Bailey, Miss B. Town, Mr. M. Chark, Mr. D. D. Munro, Mr. J. E. Hastings, Mr. A. W. Strugnell, Mr. J. W. Prescott, Mr. H. Marshall and Mr. W. P. Harris, all from Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Keatings, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. W. Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Albertson, Mrs. F. S. Gordon, Mrs. U. C. Bates, Mr. P. F. Barnes, Mr. F. M. Black, Miss H. Mulhern and Mr. R. N. Nottlemann, all from Seattle; Mr. E. H. Vicary, Port Angeles; Miss L. Leithead and Mr. L. E. Skinner, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. John Smithson, Wenatchee; Mr. E. M. Pritchard, Walkerville, Ont.; Mr. J. D. McCluskey and Mrs. H. B. Yates, Montreal, and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Fairchild, Swift Current, Sask.

DOMINION

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Browning, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hicks, Salem, Ore.; Mr. H. Berkowitz, Port Angeles; Mr. H. T. Reed, Victoria; Mr. L. F. Rydsen, Cowichan Lake; Mr. W. M. Walker, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. F. Lishman, Seattle; Mr. A. R. McAnally, Mr. G. P. Cameron, Victoria; Mr. L. R. Legate, Edmonton; Miss Grace Mitchell, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Butcher, Birtle, Man.; Mr. and Mrs. N. Palmer, Vancouver; Mr. A. Stevens, Englewood, B.C.; Mr. M. P. Marley, Youbou; Mr. R. Townsend, Victoria; Messrs. D. W. Mutter and K. Cox, Duncan; Mr. H. Sprout, Vancouver; Mr. R. H. Clark, Gordon Head; Mr. W. Kennedy, Victoria; Mr. S. D. Adam, Duncan; Mr. Alexander Gaumond, New York; Mr. Tony Harrison, Victoria; Mr. R. B. Westmacott, Vancouver; Miss Furlonge, Shawnigan; Mr. F. M. Wright, Sidney; Mr. G. Byrns, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. Vipond, Vancouver; Mr. D. B. McKillop, Victoria; Miss Vera Brown, Nanaimo; Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cowan, Hanna, Alta.; Mr. A. E. Sinkler, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin, Nanaimo.

An alloy has been used with gold since a period many centuries earlier than 1,600 years ago. Gold in the raw state was known in the later stone age.

Weddings

ROGERS—MOORE

The wedding took place on New Year's Day at the home of Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., Pemberton Road, between Wilma Maye (Billie), third daughter of Mrs. W. W. Moore, 1266 Balmoral Road, and of the late Mr. Moore, and Mr. Bernard T. Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rogers, Oak Bay.

Members of the two families, augmented by a few other relatives, assembled later at the home of the bride's mother for the exchange of greetings, and at midnight the happy couple left for Vancouver en route to Nelson, where they will reside.

Y.W.C.A. Notes

All Y.W.C.A. clubs and classes will resume Winter activities next week.

On Monday, January 13, the Senior Business Club is arranging a special evening for new members or any others who wish to visit the club. Mr. H. J. Pendray will give a travel talk, illustrated with moving pictures.

A joint committee of the Y.W.C.A. and the Y.M.C.A. sponsored an enjoyable New Year dance in which eighty young people took part. A good orchestra added to the enjoyment of the evening's entertainment. At midnight the distribution of gaily-colored caps and merry noisemakers contributed to the general joyous atmosphere in welcoming the new year.

The new Beginners' Badminton Class, starting on January 8 at 7 p.m., has accommodation for a few more members.

The Versatile and Pirate Clubs met last night for their weekly meeting. After the business session, "New Year and Its Relation to New Beginners" was discussed by the girls, while games and folk dancing supplied the activity for the evening.

Qualicum Beach

Mrs. Ronald Hicks, of Victoria, with Ruth and Donald, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. C. Golding.

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Miss Eileen Gillan, of Vancouver, accompanied by a friend, spent the week-end with her parents here. Mr. George Floyd was also a guest.

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Mr. Austin McTaggart, of Alberni, and Mr. Claude Clanson are having a vacation and are staying with Mr. and Mrs. W. McTaggart.

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Mr. Tom Buckham, who was here for the holidays, is spending a few days in Victoria before returning to his studies at the University of British Columbia.

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Mr. A. James, of Victoria, arrived here on Thursday and returned the next day.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. White and their daughter, from Vancouver, arrived on Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Turner.

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Mrs. J. Marshall has arrived back from Victoria.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Tyrrell have returned from Vancouver.

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Mrs. McKee, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ted Parker, has returned home.

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John D. Rockefeller says that the first money he ever earned was made by raising turkeys when he was seven years old. His mother gave him curds from the milk to feed them.

Delightful Party Held

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. George gave a delightful New Year's Eve party at their home on Arm Street, about ninety guests being invited to welcome the new year. Bridge was played in the drawing-room and a three-piece orchestra played for dancing in the ballroom. The supper table was beautifully arranged with poinsettias.

Assisting in receiving the guests was Mrs. Walter Laing. Presiding at the supper table were Mrs. A. J. Patton and Mrs. H. Collings. The bridge prizes were won by Mrs. C. H. French, Mrs. V. L. Denton and Mrs. J. L. Watson.

The invited guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Christie, Mr. and Mrs. H. Collings, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Denton, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. French, Mr. Godson, Mr. and Mrs. John Gough, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Green, Mrs. Hendson, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hurn, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Kinghorn, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. John Kyle, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Lock, Mrs. MacLachlan, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacCallum, Mr. and Mrs. K. McCarter, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. McCaw, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Manning, Mr. and Mrs. G. Swire Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. A. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. R. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Orchard, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Patton, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Scurrah, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Stavert, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Thomson, Mrs. J. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Watson.

Misses Kathleen Armstrong, Alexia Brown, Anne Brown, Aubin Burridge, Helen Fairley, Juanita Falconer, D. Fraser, Olive French, Beatrice Godson, Geraldine Holden, Mamie Houlihan, Lois Peacey, P. Kier, Linda Smith, Patricia Smith, Marnie Sullivan, June Scurrah, Isabel Sullivan.

Messrs. Jack Barnes, Kenneth Billingsley (Winnipeg), Phillip Bond, F. G. Booth (Vancouver), Howard Denton, Ken Drury, Jeckyll Fairley, Warren Godson, Jack Green, Arthur Hawkes, Check Holland, James Houlihan, Lloyd Mackenzie, Ralph Mathews, Arthur Morton, Roger Phillips, H. L. Swan, Kenneth Ross and B. Yard.

Children Given Christmas Treat

St. Alban's Sunday School held its annual treat on Monday in Oaklands School auditorium. Tea was served at 5 o'clock. There were 138 children present. Later in the evening the parents attended and the children entertained them with recitations, songs and several short playlets.

Prizes were given for good work and regular attendance, special mention being made of "Pat" Parkes, who has maintained five years' perfect attendance. Rev. F. W. Weaver thanked the teachers and children for their co-operation during the past year, and reminded all present of the family service to be held next Sunday at 11 a.m.

Rev. N. E. Smith spoke, covering the growth of the Sunday school. Candy and oranges were distributed, after which the evening closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

Parksville

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Walker, of Union Bay, were recent visitors to Parksville.

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Mr. Arthur Bird, of Victoria, has arrived here to take the place of Mr. Hugh Baker in the Bank of Commerce. Mr. Baker will leave for Ocean Falls on January 7.

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Miss Audrey Thwaites has arrived home from Victoria, where she attends Victoria College, and will spend New Year with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Thwaites.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilson have returned from their honeymoon in Vancouver and will reside in Parksville.

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Mrs. L. T. Davis is spending New Year's at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D'Oyly Rochfort, in Vancouver.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wing have returned from spending a short holiday in Vancouver.

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Mrs. W. Rylands' son, Richard, from Port Alberni, and her daughter, Barbara, from Vancouver, are with her for the holidays.

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Mrs. Rene Lemon has returned to Vancouver, after spending Christmas with her mother, Mrs. W. H. Smith.

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Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Clarkson left on Monday for their home in New York, after visiting the former's parents here for the past month.

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Miss Pam Thwaites returned to Vancouver on Boxing Day. She was staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Thwaites, for the Christmas holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Stokes and family, are the guests of Mrs. Ann Hirst for the New Year.

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Miss F. Smith has returned to Vancouver after visiting her mother, Mrs. W. Smith.

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Mrs. Muzio, of Nanoose, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. S. Abernethy.

LODGE SOCIAL

The monthly get-together of the L.O.A. and L.O.B.A. Lodges will be a concert and dance to be held on January 6 at the usual time. Members are requested to attend and those who promised refreshments are asked to note the date.

Chemainus

Mr. and Mrs. H Catheart and family, of Port Angeles, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Catheart for several days, have returned home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cathcart and family, of Victoria, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Cathcart.

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Mr. Gordon English, of Puyallup, Wash., who spent a couple of days here visiting his brother, Mr. Robert English, who is a patient in the Chemainus General Hospital, has returned home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Campbell and Harry, of Vancouver, were the guests of Mrs. S. Taylor over the holidays.

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A Christmas treat was given the children of Chemainus recently by the Knights of Pythias, in the small recreation hall when nearly 175 children accepted an invitation to a Christmas party. The programme opened with a selection from "The Haywire Minstrels," followed by a skit, "The Chinese Laundry," by Harry Vernon and assistants, Amos 'n' Andy were well represented by Mr. Mainwaring and Mr. W. Wyllie. A local broadcasting station gave much pleasure to the children, who gave mouth organ, tap dancing, recitations and solos in front of the "mike." Following the programme, bags of candy, nuts and oranges were distributed, and a community sing-song enjoyed. Ice cream and cookies were served to all the kiddies, and the adults retired to the supper room for refreshments. Music and community singing followed until 9.30, when a happy evening was brought to a close with the singing of "God Save the King."

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.75 Pure Cod Liver Oil 47¢
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.40 A.S.A., 50's 24¢
.65 A.S.A., 100's 42¢
.30 Grove's Bromo Quinine for 21¢
.25 Bromide Quinine 17¢
.25 Zip Caps 17¢

for Colds
.50 Syrup Pine Tar 32¢
.50 Green Cough 37¢
.35 Zip Cough 22¢
.65 Ammoniated Bronchial Cough 42¢
.35 Friar's Balsam 24¢
.50 Thermogene 37¢
.50 Camphorated Oil 29¢
.50 Oil of Eucalyptus 29¢
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.50 Mustard Ointment 33¢
SUNDRIES
.25 Seidlitz Powders 14¢
1.25 Hemroids 79¢
1.25 Ruma, for rheumatism, for 79¢
.35 Syrup of Figs 23¢
.35 Electric Oil 26¢
.15 Soda Mints 10¢
.25 Modess, 14's, 2 for 45¢
.10 Haarlem Oil 5¢
.45 Queen's Health Salt for 39¢
.65 Langdale's Cinnamon for 52¢
.75 Clinical Thermometers for 49¢

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(One to a Customer)
.25 Cascara Dandelion Tablets 13¢
.50 Vacuum Bottles 28¢

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Eugene Lambert's
.55 Cleansing Cream 34¢
.55 Tissue Cream 34¢
.55 Hand Lotion 34¢
.55 Lemon Lotion 34¢
.55 Almond Cream 34¢
.55 Cocoabutter Night Cream 34¢
.60 Campana Italian Balm for 54¢
.50 Muriel Astor Face Powder 25¢

shaving cream
.50 Williams' Shaving Cream for 44¢
.55 Aqua Velva 44¢
.75 Coty's Shaving Cream for 59¢
Fougier Royale After-Shave Lotion 79¢
DuBarry Bowl $1.19
Colgate's Double Size 39¢
After-Shave Talc 19¢
Gillette Razor with case and 5 blades 49¢
.50 Squibb's Shaving Cream and 25c Squibb's Tooth Paste, both for 43¢

For the hair
.75 Dermol Hair Tonic 49¢
.50 Lavender Hair Oil 34¢
1.15 Fitch's Deal 69¢
.85 Packer's Scalp-Tone for 59¢
1.00 DuBarry Shampoo 50¢
.10 P.O. Shampoo 5¢
.50 Wave Set 34¢
.15 Wave Set 11¢
.50 Stafixd 34¢

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

New Year's Reception In Ottawa

OTTAWA, Jan. 2 (C.)—The nation's capital yesterday gave itself over to New Year's receptions perhaps to a greater extent than in previous years.

Nearly 1,000 attended the Governor-General's levee in the Hall of Fame of the Parliament Buildings and shook hands with Baron Tweedsmuir.

Receptions were held also by Premier Mackenzie King and Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative leader. The Prime Minister's reception was held at Laurier House and that of Mr. Bennett at his hotel. About 1,000 attended each reception.

Receptions of the diplomatic corps were also held, including that of United States Minister Norman Armour. Charge d'Affaires Rene Turck received at the French Legation in the absence of Raymond Brugere, who sailed from France this week on his return to Canada. The Japanese Minister and Mrs. Kato received at their home.

Standing in the Hall of Fame, while above in the Peace Tower the carillon rang out its music, Baron Tweedsmuir shook hands cordially with his visitors. The first to greet him was the Prime Minister, then the son and son-in-law of Their Excellencies, Hon. Alistair Buchan and Captain Fairfax-Lucy. It required an hour for all the callers to shake hands with the Governor-General.

ENGAGEMENTS

SAGE—FAIRHURST

Mrs. S. Fairhurst announces the engagement of her eldest daughter, Joan Marjorie Hopkins to Mr. Harold Sage, eldest son of Mrs. and Mrs. A. Sage. The wedding will take place in the near future.

Annual Quadrille Contest Is Held

At a dance held in the Foresters' Hall recently, the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society's annual Caledonia quadrille contest for the McGavin Cup was held. The contest was open to all societies on the Island. The contestants gave a very fine example of the grace and charm for which these dances are so well known.

In presenting the cup to Miss Irene Wallace, captain of the winning set, Alderman Andrew McGavin, donor of the cup, expressed the hope that next year there would be keener competition and that it would encourage the younger generation to learn the Scottish dances.

The prize-winning team was as follows: Misses Irene Wallace, Nancy Boyd, Janet Symes, Bella Gibson. Messrs. Bill Hall, James R. Marrs, Douglas Balfour and A. McD Pollock. The team was coached by Mr. D. Balfour. Second place was won by Team Two of St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society, and third place was won by the pipes and drums, 2nd Battalion, Canadian Scottish Regiment. J. Burnett acted as judge.

Workroom Donations Welcomed

The Women's Workroom during December received donations from the following:

Mrs. Meharey, Mrs. Roy, Mrs. J. McDonnell, Mrs. W. C. Todd, Mrs. H. R. Gale, Miss Beadnell (Chemainus), Victoria, W.I., Major Cooke (Sooke), Mrs. R. H. B. Ker, Mrs. McGee (Bamfield), Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Parrott, Mrs. Piercy, Miss Dumbrick, Mrs. McConachie, Pantorium, Miss Lacey, Miss Crease, Boy Scouts Toy Shop, Mrs. W. H. Stone, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Irish, Mrs. Marr, Mrs. Deal, Miss Page, Mrs. French, Mrs. Dowell, and others, clothing, pieces, shoes, etc.; Mrs. Archibald Harris, Miss Hodgson, Miss Ravenhill, knitting wool, threads and sundries.

Pioneer Fuel Co., kindling; Mrs. E. H. King, jam; Mrs. Piercy, chair; David Spencer, Ltd., wrapping paper; Mrs. McGee, toys; Diggon-Hibben, Ltd., scratch pads; Toc H., sawdust; Mrs. W. C. Todd and Anon (per Miss Maxwell), Christmas cheer for the workers.

Donations for the Christmas party not previously acknowledged: Fort Garry Co., tea; Palm Dairy, butter; Mrs. J. A. Scott, candy; Mrs. H. B. Hunter, holly and apples.

Festival of Art Will Be Given Soon

Plans are being made by Gonzales Chapter, I.O.D.E., for a "Festival of Art," to be held at the Empire Theatre on January 17 and 18, under the general direction of Mrs. Curtis Sampson. It will be in the form of living pictures and will follow upon the lines of previous exhibitions of the kind, which have always been so popular in Victoria.

Mrs. Dorothy Wilson, Mme. Eva Bird and Mr. George Dyke are cooperating with this production and attractive dance and song numbers will be introduced between the various pictures shown, Mr. Dyke's orchestra to form the musical background.

In addition to these features, Mr. H. J. Davis will direct a playlet which will round out a most interesting programme.

Masterpieces by some of the world's greatest painters will be shown, among them Goya, Gozzoli, John Singer Sargent, whose "Carnation Lily, Lily Rose" has been chosen for the festival; Dante Gabriel Rosetti, whose famous "Dante's Dream" will be one of the outstanding pictures; Romney's "Stafford Children"; Jacques Louis David's "Portrait of Napoleon"; Chardin's "Le Benedicite," and Lancret, a painter of the French school, whose work will also be shown.

The committee is busy working out details of the festival, which will undoubtedly create great interest among the lovers of art.

Marigold

A most enjoyable young people's informal dance was held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Harrison, Jasmine Avenue, in honor of Mr. Herbert Norman, who will leave shortly to join the navy. The guests included Misses Eleanora Dendoff, Gwen Dewar, June Dewar, Doris Minty, Elaine Humphries, Irene Pearce, Marie Murray, Violet Harrison, Messrs. Herbert Norman, Fred Johnston, Jim Harrart, Ernest Fullerton, Raymond Foxgord, Leonard Holman, Lawrence Foxgord, Jim Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. George Randall, Mr. and Mrs. R. Harrison and Shirley May Harrison.

Wife Preservers

Cut the good parts of worn bath towels into squares and hem edges or finish with crochet or buttonhole stitch. Use for washclothes

Actress Married to Doctor

Claudette Colbert, Hollywood film actress, and Dr. Joel J. Pressman, Hollywood throat specialist (left), were married at Yuma, Arizona, on Christmas Day by Justice of the Peace Earl A. Freeman (right). Following the ceremony, the couple motored back to Los Angeles.

Social and Personal Notes

Children's Dance

The Russian Ballet School of Dancing, McGregor Avenue, was en fete last evening when Mrs. Dorothy Wilson entertained the junior members of her ballroom classes at a jolly holiday dance in honor of her younger daughter, Josephine. Festoons of greenery and holly berries, and a gaily decorated Christmas tree enlivened the rooms, and a popular orchestra supplied the music for dancing. Bright red berries and tall, red, lighted candles cast a festive glow over the supper table. Among the invited guests were Misses Elizabeth McCarter, Rae Millar, Mary Flannigan, Mary Drury, Betty Scott, Betty Holms, Thisbe Fletcher, Barbara Bate, Elizabeth Angus, Muriel Uhthoff, Jean Murdoch, Marguerite MacLeod, Lucy Berton, Patty Boyd, Bertha Burnett, Muriel Patterson, Ursula Forbes, Mary Wickson, Mona Martin, Laura Bapty, Louise Preston, Ann Ridewood, Docia Jones, Margaret Hughes, Luella Ketcheson, Patricia Guilbride, Amy O. Heddle, Susan Herchmer, Gwen Thomas, Mildred Irwin, Perlita Beraha, Diana and Daphne Ker, "Pat" Webber, Rosemary Farrow, "Pat" Cumberbirch, Lois Rushworth, and Masters Jack and Bob Borland, Ken Schariff, Walter Wickson, Ken Robinson, Raymond Rose, Bob Fleming, Francis Guilbride, Ray Hollins, Paul Cornell, Owen Bennett, Cyril Holt, Pierre Berton, Teddy Blenkinsop, Edgar Dickson, Geoffrey Hotham, John Uhthoff, "Pat" Bate, Don Dreaper, David Boyd, David Thomas, Gerald Chaston, Peter Brown, Ted Hart, John Ogilvie, Roy Teasdale, Alastair and Ian Gillespie.

No-Host Dance

A jolly no-host dance was held recently in the Mount Tolmie Hall, which had been prettily decorated with evergreens and holly. A buffet supper was served, the table being centred by a Christmas motif and tall red candles. During the evening Mrs. C. E. Stewart, who kindly acted as pianist, was presented with a beautiful potted plant. Others assisting at the dance were Mrs. P. E. Barraclough, Mrs. L. C. Ostler and Mrs. D. Frame. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mitchell, Mrs. L. C. Lytton, Mrs. T. Blades, Misses Irene Campbell, Phyllis Mercer, Muriel Mercer, Phyllis Maddock, Joyce Maddock, Jean Mitchell, Marie Edwards, Virginia Todd, Betty Cox, Dorothy Payne, Marjorie Payne, Ynes Stewart, Helen Frame, June Blades, Muriel Smith, Dorothy Tate, Peggy Sedgman, Evelyn Burdett, Muriel Wall (Vancouver), Geraldine Robbins, Madge Cook, Helen Cook, Muriel Roper, Madeleine Trigg, Etta Jones, Jean Dawson and Barbara Dawson, Messrs. William Tysoe, Richard Watson, Richard Trigg, Philip Blades, Eric Grant, Douglas Pearson, William Stewart, Charles Stewart, Colin Barraclough, Peter Mitchell, Norman Carr, Wilson Jobson, George Moon, Peter Brown, Anthony Maddock, Raymond Jones, Howard Sedgman, Brian Lytton, Robert Langley, Leonard Simmonds, Gilbert Simmonds, Albert Taylor, Ernest Bell and Gordon Payne.

Holiday Dance

Major and Mrs. A. G. Piddington, Lampson Street, entertained at a delightful holiday dance last evening for their son, Peter, when the invited guests included Misses Bernice Miller, Valentine Harlock, Kathleen McIntyre, Joyce Thomas, Virginia and Lilian Ryan, Connie Stephens, Margaret Izard, Beatrice Baker, Muriel Dunsmuir, Desiree Davis, Wendy Baillie, Thea Arbuthnot, Elizabeth Garrett, Kitty Lake, Helen Woodcroft, Jane Holland, Joy Nixon, Cicely Holmes, Cynthia Yarrow, Diana Darling, Nancy Patterson, Mary and Barbara Crane, Diana Stanier, Audrey Eberts, Margot Greer, Evangeline Phillips and Masters George and Harry Clarke, Douglas McIntyre, Arthur Thomas, Rodney Beaven, Struan Robertson, Robert Robertson, Robert Murdoch, Michael Oliver, Douglas Firth, John Armstrong, Esmond Horne, Tom Branson, John Garrett, Richard Lake, Peter Horsfield, Edward and Denis Harris, Jim Niven, Louis Ryan, Bill Tysoe, Bob Tait, Ian Sutherland Brown, Sandro Bullock-Webster, Raymond Phillips, Alistair Denbigh, Michael Darling, Jim Davies, Humphrey Tomas, Nicholas Wilby and John Holland.

Party at Lake Hill

One of the most delightful old-time dances of the season was held at the Lake Hill Community Hall recently in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ridgley (nee Irvine), whose wedding was a recent event. After supper was served, the bride and groom, preceded by little Barbara Oakley, marched down the hall under an archway of white streamers held up by the many dancers. On arriving at the stage, Mr. T. W. Palmer, president of the Community Centre, made a suitable speech and presented them with a handsomely engraved tray and coffee percolator from the Centre and patrons. After recitations by Barbara Oakley, the party gave three hearty cheers, and Mrs. Ridgley then cut a handsome four-tier wedding cake. Later, everyone received a piece of the cake, and after hilarious songs by Slim Hunter and his orchestra, dancing was resumed until midnight.

Enjoyable Party

Misses Doreen and Marjorie Dodsworth entertained on Monday night at a delightful party at their home on Lee Avenue. The rooms were gay with Christmas decorations and a buffet supper was served at midnight. The invited guests included Misses Irma Falk, Muriel Winterbottom, Marjorie Tinker, Mickey Lawson, Violet Mylrea, Evelyn and Marion Wilson, Jean Smith, Marjorie Morris, Doreen Maynard, Ellen Varney, Barbara Talbot, Edna Horne and Messrs. Philip Salmon, Percy Wickett, Bruce Blay, Ronald Holtum, Frank Fairhurst, Wilfred Flack, Ken Lawson, Gordon Dunaway, Bill Levy, Alfred Townsend, Charles Darkis, Dexter Neil, Bob Townsend, Bob Humberstone, Alan Cunningham, Tommy Tams and Ken Dodsworth.

Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney G. Cave, 912 St. Patrick Street, entertained on New Year's Eve in honor of their son, Ormande, the occasion being his sixteenth birthday. The evening was spent in dancing and games. Noise-makers, etc., added to the attractions. The hostess was assisted at the supper table by Mrs. J. G. Fox and Miss K. Cave. The guests included Misses Enid Fox, Connie Lindner, Davina Dingwall, Peggy Watson, Bertha Burnett, Louise MacBride, Jean Alexander, Jocelyn Cave, K. Cave, Messrs. Ian Grant, Jack Davey, Vernon Millar, Douglas Eve, Hugh Langton, Ray Hollins, Geoffrey Hotham, Guy Shanks, Adrian Stone and Ray McGregor.

Tea for Visitor

In honor of their guest, Mrs. Diana Watts, of London, England, who is spending a holiday in Victoria between engagements in a world lecture tour, Captain and Mrs. H. H. Massy, 1355 Victoria Avenue, entertained a few guests at the tea hour yesterday afternoon. Pale gold chrysanthemums were used for the decoration of the reception rooms, and the guests included Mrs. Diana Watts, Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Rickard, Mme. Claudius Pasha, Mme. Maurer, Sir Charles Delme-Radcliffe, Colonel Broome, Dr. Olga Jardine, Mrs. Bannerman Campbell, Major and Mrs. Bullock-Webster, Mrs. Dudley Martin, Mrs. Hugo Beaven, Miss Agnew, and Miss Bruce.

Tea Hostess

Miss Roma Dorman entertained forty friends yesterday afternoon at tea at the home of her mother, Mrs. O. H. Dorman, "Logie Lea," Newport Avenue, in honor of Miss Mildred Jones, who will leave for the Orient on Saturday. Assisting in pouring tea were Miss Byrd Pendray and Miss Loula Cameron. The table was covered with a Venetian cloth centred with a large silver bowl of pale pink chrysanthemums on a mirror, with silver candlesticks and tall pink lighted tapers at either end. The reception rooms were arranged with bronze chrysanthemums.

Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Parfitt and their two daughters, Vivian and Freeda, left yesterday afternoon for their home in Vancouver, having spent the Christmas holidays here visiting Mr. Parfitt's mother, Mrs. Fred Parfitt, 2063 Fernwood Road. Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Parfitt and their family, of Duncan, will leave today for their home Up-Island. During their visit here they stayed with Mrs. Parfitt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Miles, 2226 Shakespeare Street. On New Year's Day Mrs. Fred Parfitt entertained at a family reunion, for which covers were laid for eighteen.

Returning to Australia

Mr. W. H. Cavanaugh, of Sydney, New South Wales, is here for a short visit with an old school friend, Mr. William Broadhurst, 651 Hampshire Road. An Englishman by birth and upbringing, Mr. Cavanaugh went to Australia twenty-seven years ago to establish a boot and shoe business and when he retired about twelve months ago, he went back to the Old Land for a visit, from which he is now returning, having made the trip via the Panama Canal. He is accompanied by his wife.

Dinner Party

On New Year's Day a dinner was held at the home of Mrs. L. Edwards, 1715 Davie Street. Covers were laid for ten. During the evening the guests enjoyed the new indoor horseshoe game, after which vocal solos were sung by Mr. E. Rowley and Mr. L. Edwards. Carols and community singing brought an enjoyable evening to a close.

Return to Vancouver

Mrs. J. W. McConnell, of Vancouver, accompanied by her small son, James, who spent the Christmas holidays in the city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Seni, Wark Street, has returned home. Mr. McConnell, who spent Christmas in Victoria with his family, returned to Vancouver a few days previously.

Going to England

Miss Margaret Monk returned to Vancouver on Tuesday, after spending the week-end with Capt. and Mrs. W. A. Monk, who, with their daughter, Miss Betty Monk, will leave for England on January 12, after several years in British Columbia.

Visitors Leave

Mrs. Walter A. Stenner, of Vancouver, who spent Christmas in the city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Denny, Crescent Road, has returned. Mr. Stenner, who spent a few days here, preceded his wife to the Mainland a few days earlier.

Spent Holiday Here

Mr. Roger Carey, who is attending McGill University, spent the Christmas and New Year's holidays in the city with his mother, Mrs. George F. Carey, Chandler Avenue, and will leave at the week-end for the Mainland, en route to Montreal to resume medical studies.

Returning Home

Mrs. Ethel Moorhouse will leave today for her home at Ganges, Saltspring Island, after spending the Christmas season visiting her son, Captain H. W. N. Moorhouse, 893 St. Patrick Street.

Receives Sad News

Miss Christie Leask, of 1960 St. Anne Street, has received word from Ontario of the death of her mother, Mrs. J. F. Leask, of Simcoe. Miss Leask just recently returned to Victoria after visiting her mother.

Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hart and their small sons, of Vail, Wash., who have been the guests of Mrs. Hart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bell, Somass Drive, during the Christmas holidays, have returned home.

En Route Home

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Godwin, of Seaside, Oregon, have left for Seattle, en route to their home after spending the holidays in Victoria with Mrs. Godwin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Rines, View Royal.

Back to Seattle

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Code, of Seattle, have returned home after spending the holiday season in Victoria with Mr. Code's mother, Mrs. E. E. Code, Linden Avenue.

Visiting Honolulu

Miss Marianne R. Dobbin, who formerly resided with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pike, Linden Aevnue, has left for Honolulu, where she will spend the next three months.

Visitors From Vancouver

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moncrieff, Jr., of Vancouver, are enjoying a round of visits with friends in Victoria for the New Year celebrations.

Leave for California

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bevan left yesterday for a trip to California, and expect to return in about three weeks.

Returns Home

Mr. A. E. Senkler has returned to his home in Vancouver after a brief visit at the Dominion Hotel.

Returns From East

Miss Sheila Sangster has arrived from the East, where she has been attending school, to visit her parents.

Y.P.S. News

METROPOLITAN

The Metropolitan United Church Young People's Society will open its Spring programme on Monday evening in the schoolroom at 8 o'clock. The feature of the evening is in charge of Tom Wilson and his group and will take the form of a New Year affair. Miss Elma Keeler and her committee will serve refreshments. All members are asked to keep this date in mind and to bring a friend.

OAKLANDS

The Young People's Group of Oaklands United Sunday School held a successful concert recently. They were assisted by several children from the Sunday School as well as other friends. The main feature of the programme was a pageant, "When the Star Shone," by Lyman Bayard. Those taking part were: "Prophecy," Miss Maud Lund; "History," Miss Iola Carter; soloist, Miss E. Muteh; "The Rabbi," Raymond Hunter; "Judith, his wife," Jean Duncan; the shepherds, Fern Dean, Peggy Day, Audrey Porter and Marjorie MacDougall; the wise men: Norman Lund, Kenneth Wellwood and Austin Renfree; Bethlehem men, women and children, Joe Lott, George Stock, Winnie Buchan, Mabel Viggers, Cora Carter, Joyce Day, Ernest Wellwood, Jessie Reid, Joyce Bayliss, Alice and Donald Brunfield and others. Other friends assisting in the programme were: Miss Eileen Foster, Mr. Roger Perrault and Mr. E. Wilderspin.

What One Girl Wore

By BETTY BROWNLEE

DELICATE chiffons, pleated all over and carrying about them an air of charm and grace, are a dominant note in fashions for evening wear and in daytime ensembles to be worn at Southern resorts. As far as the evening vogue is concerned, there is surely no lovelier picture than the sight of a pretty girl floating about the ballroom amidst a swirl of wispy chiffon. In white and fairylike pastels, gowns of this type are becoming increasingly popular.

For Southern resort wear, the flowered chiffons take precedence in gay little ensembles for those afternoon occasions when you may want to "dress up." Such an ensemble is illustrated today. The print itself is charming, being in a pale grey-beige with a small design in black and red. It is pleated all over except for the shoulder yoke, with its capelet sleeve and the plain yoke at the waist. The skirt is circular below the hips and the jacket is short, quite flared at the back and trimmed with rich cuffs of black fox.

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AGED MEN ARE ENTERTAINED

New Year's Dinner Held—Pocket Money, Presents, Refreshments Given

Inmates of the Aged Men's Home were entertained with a New Year's dinner Wednesday, and a programme of variety numbers, when James H. Beatty, chairman of the Fred Landsberg fund; W. H. Davies, secretary, and John Anderson visited the institution and distributed the monthly donation of two dollars to each non-pensioner. The committee also distributed refreshments and cigars.

Mr. Beatty officiated as chairman, introducing the members of the concert party that was taken along for the occasion. Kenneth Drury, pianist, acted as accompanist and provided solo selections, while Frank Lavery, the one-man orchestra, also was much enjoyed. The men joined in community singing led by Ernest Impett, who acted as master of ceremonies and also sang a group of solos. Other vocal soloists were Alderman James Adam and Bobby Henson. Frank Merryfield gave an illusian act which was much enjoyed.

THANKS COMMITTEE

Alderman Adam, chairman of the Aged Men's Home committee, thanked the Landsberg Fund committee for its work and expressed the appreciation of all those present for the splendid concert provided by the various artists.

Those who contributed presents, cigars, refreshments, fruit and other commodities necessary to the success of the New Year dinner are as follows: Mrs. E. D. Todd, Mayor David Leeming, Herbert Anscomb, M.P.P.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson, Colonel Lindsay, William Allan, A. Lee, A. H. Harman, Growers' Wine Co., Phoenix Brewing Company, Friend, Mrs. James Dunsmuir, Victoria District Boy Scouts, C. A. Rainsford, city parks commissioner, National System of Bakeries, Mrs. Moss, E. D. Todd, and biscuits from Ormond's, Limited.

Make Changes in Hospital Staff

VANCOUVER, Jan. 2 (?)—Dr. B. D. Gillies has been appointed chief of staff of the Vancouver General Hospital beginning January 1. He was former chief of medicine, which post is being taken over by Dr. G. L. Hodgins. Dr. George E. Seldon, has been named chief of surgery and Dr. P. A. McLennan elevated to the consulting staff.

It was only on special occasions that a little girl was allowed to stay up late. One evening the hour for the little one's bedtime had passed. "Now, Joan, darling," said mother, "bedtime. Little chicks go to bed early."

Without hesitation the child replied, "Yes, mummy, I know. But the old hen goes with them, too."

French Naval Delegates

Here We See the French Delegates Arriving at Clarence House, London, to Attend a Session of the Naval Conference. On the Left Is Vice-Admiral Durand-Viel, Chief of the French Naval Staff.

The Romance Racket

MARIE BLIZARD

CHAPTER XLV

Packing was a feverish procedure. They flung their lovely new purchases into the new trunks with small regard for their fragility; they were working against time. Carol was afraid to spend an other day in Paris. She wrote another of her "regret notes" to Kathy, telling her that she and her friend had decided to go to Munich by plane the next morning.

"It's a frightful thing to have to tell so many lies," she said to Miranda when they were having their belated dinner in their rooms. "I never expect to find my way out of them or remember half of them. I think that in itself is the strongest plea for truth. It's so much easier to keep track of truths."

"I'm doing everything I can to make it pleasant for you, but if you regret . . ." Miranda tried to be cold and succeeded only in being pathetic.

"I don't mind a bit so long as we don't get caught," Carol said, all contrition. "But let's get on. Let me see, the desk will arrange for us to get tickets and we can easily get hotel reservations when we get there. Have I forgotten anything?"

"David!" Miranda said.

"Of course," Carol said. "I'll hurry over to the telegraph office. I've just about time. Don't bother to fold anything else away. We'll have it properly unpacked when we arrive."

Carol's visit to the telegraph office was fruitful.

"Miss Miranda! I've got word! It just came!" Carol burst in on Miranda just as that lady was leaving the room, their trunks having been safely sent off to the railroad station.

Miranda sat down on the nearest thing which happened to be a low hassock. Her knees wouldn't hold her up. She knew from the tone of Carol's excited voice that she bore good news.

"The telegram is from Hilliard. He says David was in Buenos Aires not less than ten days ago. Here . . . read it yourself and let's hurry, we can't afford to miss that train now."

"Don't you think I ought to send a cable to Mr. Hilliard telling him where I am so that if David hears I've disappeared he'll know where to reach me?"

"I do not. I wired him under the name of Diana Coles and I'll wire him again in a month and that way we will know when David will be able to get back. Come along."

The trip to Nice on the Riviera Express was a dreadful one. And Carol and Miranda had no eye for anything but sleep when they arrived at the paradise on the Mediterranean.

Carol ached in every bone and her eyes were scarcely open when they reached the hotel. Why didn't European hotels make it as easy to register as American hotels, Carol wondered impatiently as she filled out the police cards required of every foreigner. Thank goodness, they were still in France, she wouldn't have to show their passports with their right names, she thought, as she signed Mrs. Margaret Baker and Diana Coles," on the register.

Their suite was palatial, the windows looking out over the palm-lined boulevard with the sea stretching before them like a bright painted canvas. Carol had forgotten how divinely beautiful that sea was or perhaps she appreciated it now through eyes newly opened to beauty.

"We will hire a car," Miranda said their first morning. "We will be the gayest of the gay."

And gay they were.

In the south of France, pleasure resorts are many and beautiful and Nice is the most popular of all. Nature and man contrived to make it a paradise for the pleasure-loving and it attracts the most attractive people.

Carol thought she had never seen so many beautiful human beings, sun worshippers, their bodies browned to a glowing tan, their laughter light and merry. She soon became one of them, lying on the warm sands for hours in the briefest of swim suits, her eyes hidden behind great dark glasses, while Miranda seemed happy to absorb the light and laughter about her as she sat in discreet tailored pyjamas, a wide-brimmed hat on her smartly coiffed head.

In impeccable, evening clothes they dined nightly in lonely splendor in the huge dining-room of the hotel, a room with windows three stories high that looked out over the palm trees and caught the sparkle of the waters lit by the moon and boulevard lights. It seemed like a dream, but it was lonely for Carol.

After their daily siesta, they rode out through the promenades, admiring the magnificient gardens, the flowers everywhere that bloomed in luxurious profusion.

"A land meant for romance," Miranda said and Carol knew it all too well in her splendid loneliness. The soft breezes called her loneliness to her, the bright sunshine and the sombre shadows emphasized it.

Carol knew that she had become a familiar figure on the beach and in the hotel. In turn she studied those about her, the laughing, intimate groups, and longed to know them, to join them in their fun but she didn't know how. She wished that the easy social contacts of shipboard prevailed there.

She made friends with two roly poly French children and spoke to their nurse, but she never saw their parents, if they were there.

Miranda too was growing uneasy. She longed for older people to talk to. She began to talk of moving on but Carol hoped that she could dissuade her from that. She was tired of packing and travel and finding the same thing all over again. At least they were safe here and she was content to stay as she was.

"I'll take to talking to myself soon," she said to herself one bright morning when she was drying from her dip in the azure waters. She had flung herself down beside a group of six people. She had seen them there daily and she wanted to know them. They looked interesting but quite content with their own group. At least she could hear what they were talking about, she thought with no conscience whatsoever as she closed her eyes shd pretended sleep.

". . . very day and usually alone or with an elderly lady," she heard and knew they were talking about her.

". . . ask her, Tony, one would think we were in a London drawing room."

Carol held her breath. She pretended to struggle with consciousness as someone spoke above her.

"Pardon me . . . I'm Tony Helmquist." Carol opened her eyes and smiled up at the bronze man. "We wondered if you play tennis and if you'd care for a game? We're short for doubles and . . ."

"I'd love it," Carol said. "My name's Diana Coles and I'm dying of loneliness. You're the first young person who has spoken to me since . . . my aunt and I came a week ago."

It all seemed so easy, Carol thought, now that she'd met them. There was Tony and Mimi, his French wife, Martha and Jimmy Smith from St. Paul, Louis and Truman from Philadelphia, twins who didn't look in the least alike.

From the first instant that Tony introduced her to them they took her into their circle. They invited her to a picnic, to join them that night at the Martinelli's villa, to play tennis, to drive with them to Mentone. Carol was in a whirl of anticipation.

"Aunt Margaret"—Carol had learned to call her by the safer name—"wait until you hear what happened at the beach!"

"Wait until you hear my news," Miranda was as excited as Carol. "I had a caller. A servant who brought me a note from the Marquesa Gracia di Riccio . . ."

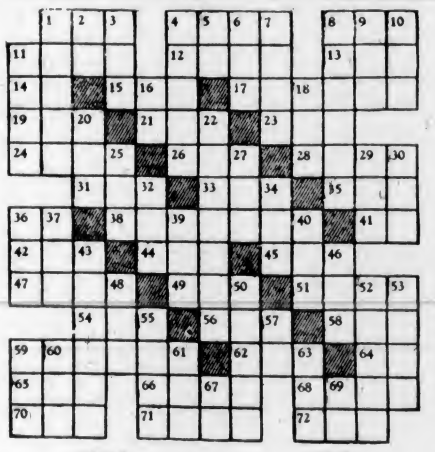
"And who might the Marquesa di Riccio be?"

"I haven't the faintest idea, but she has invited us both to tea tomorrow at six . . . silly hour for tea. She says that she is anxious to meet you. Her nephew met you in Paris."

"But I didn't meet any men in Par . . ." Carol was arrested by the thought that suddenly sent tingles in a torrent through her body. The stranger at the cafe de l'Opera!

(To Be Continued)

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

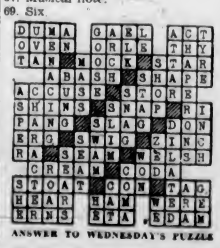


ACROSS

1. To awe.
4. Peruvian ruler.
8. To turn left.
11. Lounge.
12. Secluded corner.
13. Turkish title.
14. Part of "to be."
15. To scold.
17. To smile foolishly.
19. Fruit seed.
21. Turf.
23. Pile.
24. Caledonian.
26. Number.
28. Spanish coin.
31. Spot.
33. Large wave.
35. At once.
36. Hence.
38. To swell.
41. Pronoun.
42. Hole.
44. Equality.
45. Cap.
47. Astringent substance.
49. Obtained.
51. River of Southwest.
54. Woody fruit.
56. Distant.
58. Small bite.
59. Dwelt.
62. Negative.
64. Pronoun.
65. Fabulous bird.
66. Certain.
68. Latin poet.
70. Worm.
71. Mounds.
72. Insect egg.

DOWN

1. Humorous.
2. Belonging to.
3. Pale.
4. Bar of metal.
5. Not any.
6. Race of lettuce.
7. Related.
8. To transpire.
9. Epoch.
10. Conflict.
11. Weakens.
16. While.
18. Diagram.
20. Seed container.
22. To ruin.
25. Bushy clump.
27. Born.
29. To plant.
30. To be indebted to.
32. Gratuity.
34. Emmet.
36. Watering place.
37. Lubricant.
39. To sink.
40. To follow.
43. Garments.
46. To fasten.
48. Moist earth.
50. Sounds.
52. Boundary.
53. Mocked.
55. Trial.
57. Negative.
59. Land measure.
60. Genus of cows.
61. Owing.
63. Weight.
67. Musical note.
69. Six.



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Peas Aylmer. Choice quality. No. 5, per tin 9c (Limit, 3 tins)
Beans Aylmer Kentucky Wonder Cut Green. 2's sanit. tin 9c (Limit, 3 tins)

SOUP MIX, 1-lb. bag 9c
SMALL WHITE BEANS, 2 lbs. 11c
SPLIT PEAS, 2 lbs. 13c
AYLMER TOMATO CATSUP, 12-oz. bottle. Special 13c
Jap Oranges Box 49c
HEINZ VINEGAR, Malt or White, 32-oz. bottle 27c
CHEESE, Kidnau, Plain or Pimento, 8-oz. packet 14c
BACON, Ayrshire, sliced, lb. 20c
AYLMER PORK and BEANS, 16-oz. tins, 2 for 15c
CLARK'S TOMATO JUICE, 1's, per tin 5c
PEPPER, ½-lb. box 18c
Cocoa Fry's Pure Breakfast; ½-lb. tin. Extra Special 19c
Peaches Lynn Valley, 2's, equal. Special, per tin 15c

H B C TEAS AND COFFEES

BUY OUR QUALITY BULK BLENDS—YOU'LL FIND YOU'RE GETTING A BETTER QUALITY FOR LESS MONEY

TEA, Our Special Economy Blend. Special, per lb. 35c
Broken Orange Pekoe. A special value, per lb. 52c
COFFEE. Freshly ground. Fine flavor, per lb. 19c
Soap Sunlight. Large carton 17c; 3 cartons for 50c
AYLMER ORANGE MARMALADE, 32-oz. jar 25c
ROGERS' SYRUP, 2's, tin 15c
ROMAN MEAL, Large pkt. 29c
KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES, 3 pkts. for 25c

FAIRY TOILET SOAP 3 cakes 10c
LIFEBUOY SOAP 2 cakes 15c
SHINOLA FLOOR WAX Special, per tin 20c

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Phone Service Open 8 A.M. Daily—Your Early Order Greatly Appreciated

Side Bacon Our Special, sliced, per lb. 25c (Limit, 2 lbs.)
Butter Fraser Valley Prints First Grade Always, per lb. 32c; 3 lbs. for 93c
New Zealand Butter. First shipment. Per lb. 38c; 3 lbs. for $1.10

EGGS, Grade A Large, doz. 32c
CHEESE, Canadian Mild, lb. 17c
LARD, H B C quality, lb. 16c
PEANUT BUTTER, Squirrel Brand, 1's, per tin 14c
CHEESE, Chateau, 1-lb. packet 28c
SMYRNA STEWING FIGS, New stock, 3 lbs. for 22c
PRUNES, Fancy quality, size 70-80's, 3 lbs. for 20c
WALNUT PIECES, Fancy white meat. Special, per lb. 31c
No. 1 JAP RICE, 2 lbs. 11c
MOIST SAIR DATES, Special, 4 lbs. for 25c

CANDY SPECIALS

BUTTERSCOTCH, per lb. 19c
LOWNEY'S BRIDGE MIXTURE, per lb. 29c
SCOTCH MINTS, per lb. 25c
ASSORTED PACKETS GUM and ASSORTED LIFESAVERS at 4 for 15c

ROYAL CITY GOLDEN BANTAM CORN, 2's, per tin 12c; 3 tins for 35c
AYLMER PEAS, Choice quality, size 3, per tin 14c; 3 tins for 40c
ROYAL CITY SPINACH, 2's, at, per tin 14c; 3 tins for 40c
AYLMER PUMPKIN, 2½'s, Special, 2 tins for 25c
SAANICH WHOLE CLAMS, 1's, per tin 14c; 3 tins for 40c
SEA CAPTAIN PINK SALMON, 1's, per tin 19c
HEDLUND'S MEAT PASTES at, per tin 9c
Milk Borden's Malted; 5-lb tin. Extra Special 2.50 (Limited quantity)
Clark's Soups Assorted. Extra Special 4 tins 25c (Limited Quantity)
JELLY POWDERS, Assorted, 4 pkts. for 15c
SUGAR, Finest B.C. Granulated, 10-lb. sack $1.20
TEA, No. 1 Broken Orange Pekoe, 60c value. Extra Special, lb. 59c
COFFEE, Mocha and Java Brand. Pure, freshly ground. Special at, per lb. 47c
JOHNSON'S FLUID BEEF, 16-oz. bottles $1.10
READY-CUT MACARONI, 2 lbs. for 15c

SUNKIST ORANGES Now cheaper. Regular 35c. Extra Special, per dozen 29c; 3 dozen for 85c

GRAPEFRUIT, Large seedless, at 6 for 25c; per dozen 47c
YELLOW NEWTOWN APPLES at 4 lbs. 25c
SWEET POTATOES, 4 lbs. for 25c
KAMLOOPS POTATOES, 10 lbs. for 25c
LARGE WHITE CELERY, each, 15c
LARGE CRISP LETTUCE, each, 5c
SWEDE TURNIPS, 10 lbs. for 25c

HBC QUALITY MEATS

SERVICE MEATS AND FISH

CHOICE STEER BEEF
Sirloin Roast, per lb. 24c
Ramp Roast, per lb. 20c
Prime Rib Roast, per lb. 20c
Top Round Roast, per lb. 20c
Wing Roast, per lb. 22c
Imperial Roast, per lb. 15c

FRESH LAMB
Legs, per lb. 25c
Loins, per lb. 25c
Shoulders, per lb. 15c

GRAIN-FED PORK
Legs, per lb. 25c
Loins, per lb. 25c
Shoulders, per lb. 18c

FRESH FISH
Fresh Red Spring Salmon, lb. 28c
Fresh Cod, per lb. 14c
Fresh Whiting Fillets, per lb. 15c
Fresh Cod Fillets, per lb. 18c

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Cream and white sand crepe and crepe de Chine . . . short or long sleeves. Tailored styles . . . some with jabots and high necklines. 1.98

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Drastic Reductions Taken on Foundation Garments

Nemo Wonderlift Inner-Belt Corselettes. Sizes 36 to 52. Long-hip style $5
Corselettes and Girdles. Regular $8.50! Reduced because of broken sizes 4.95
Step-In and Semi-Step-In Girdles and Corselettes. Regular $6! A splendid group at 3.69
Girdles and Corselettes. Side-Hook Girdles and Long-Hip Corselettes. Values to $6.50 for 3.95
GROUP OF CORSETS—GIRDLES—CORSELETTES. Values to $5.00. This group includes Sensation Step-In Girdles 2.95
Front-Lace Corsets. Sizes 24 to 32 1.69
"Lastex" Corselettes. Small, medium, large. Net and lace tops $1

"Bay," Fashion Floor

Brighten Your Rooms With New Curtains

Curtain Materials Offered at a Specially Low Price

Wide assortment, which includes nets, marquisettes and Scotch madras. Many styles and a host of colors. Yard 19c

Hit-and-Miss Axminster Mats

Size 27 x 51. Colorful Mats with blue or red borders—cheery for hearth, hallway, doorway and bedrooms. Each 2.75

READY-MADE DRAPERIES
25% Off Regular Price

Odd Pairs of Attractive Damask Draperies in both full and half-width styles. Only ONE pair of a kind. Regular $2.95 to $7.95!

Cocoa Door Mats
Size 14 x 24

Have one of these at your doorways and you'll not be bothered with muddy tracks across your clean floors! They will sell out quickly at only, each 49c

"Bay" Third Floor

Knitting Yarns

Bringing in the New Year With This Spectacular Wool Sale

Offering 4,000 Balls 2-Ply Zephyr Twist

Once again women who know this lovely wool will be here bright and early for their share! Nomad, marigold, red geranium, Pandora, York blue, Indian clay, black, light cardinal, oak rose, deep orange, rustic green, suntan red, blue de Lyon, grape green, deep rose, Spa blue, tuscan brown, toffee brown, white. Ball 11c

Regular $2.40 Pound 1.89

Begin your Spring knitting early! Lister's English 4-Ply Fingering Wool, a soft wool for children's garments, etc. Pink, stone, jade, medium blue, light blue, purple, peach, steel grey, Copen, mist, dark green and a host more beautiful shades. Lb.

"Bay" Art Needlework, Fashion Floor

How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

TO MEET HALFWAY

If people do not always mean just what they say, neither do words always say just what they mean.

Take, for instance, the words making up the expression "to meet halfway."

The members of this phrase, individually weighed, convey the thought of personal contact and distance.

Considered as a whole, however, we have the connotation of compromise, upon which, wrote Burke, "all government, indeed every human benefit and enjoyment, every virtue and every prudent act is founded."

The first recorded occurrence of the expression is in the work, "Unfortunate Traveler," by Nashe, published in 1594.

REBELLION VETERAN DIES

TORONTO, Jan. 2 (?).—One of the last remaining veterans of the Batoche column of Riel Rebellion fame, Robert Marsh died Tuesday in his seventieth year. He came to Toronto in 1882 from his birthplace, Manchester, England, and several years later went to Newark, N.J., returning in 1903.

Baby Windjammer Ends Long Voyage

MELBOURNE, Jan. 2 (?).—The windjammer Joseph Conrad, world's smallest full-rigged sailing ship, arrived here Tuesday, after a voyage of one year from New York by way of the Cape of Good Hope and Singapore.

The Joseph Conrad is owned by Alan Villiers, sea-story writer, of Bay Ridge, Brooklyn, N.Y.

SEATTLE PRINTER HONORED

SEATTLE, Jan. 2 (AP).—T. A. Davies, 69, early-day Seattle printer—he still carries a card—and former Alaska businessman, was nominated, unopposed, today to become Seattle's "No. 1 Citizen" January 18 at Chamber of Commerce president.

MARINE, RAIL and AIR

CARGO FROM EAST COAST

Dalcroy Due—Jackson for Orient—Niagara Sailed on New Year's Day

The freighter Dalcroy, in the service of the Vancouver-St. Lawrence Line, is due here this morning sometime, according to King Brothers, local agents. The Dalcroy is coming in from St. Lawrence ports and will discharge about 300 tons of general cargo here before continuing to Mainland ports to complete.

Sailing for Orient ports, the American Mail Line Ss. President Jackson will be here for two hours tomorrow afternoon. The big liner is due alongside Rithet Piers at 4 o'clock to pick up passengers and mails, and is scheduled to sail at 6 o'clock for Yokohama, her first port of call on the other side of the Pacific.

Only one deep-sea ship bothered local waterfront workers on New Year's Day. That was the Canadian-Australasian Ss. Niagara, Captain W. Martin, commander. She arrived alongside Rithet Piers during the middle of the afternoon and sailed at 5:30 o'clock for Honolulu, her first stopping place on the way to Australia.

NOVEL METHOD

An excellent way to teach geography has been adopted by the educational committee of the London Council. It seems that through the good offices of a firm of steamship owners, tramp ships have been "adopted" by four schools in London and each school has been put into direct touch with the captains and officers of the "adopted" ship. By means of correspondence between the personnel of the ship and the students, the ships' routes, the trade routes, the ports and countries visited are impressed on the student's mind. Before long this plan will include 100 of London's elementary and secondary schools.

All British steamship lines are not losing money. The directors of the Union-Castle Mail Steamship Company, Limited, authorized the payment on January 1, 1936, of six months' dividend to December 31, 1935 (less income tax) on the 4 1-2 per cent preference shares, and six months' arrears of dividend to June 30, 1934 (less income tax), on the 6 per cent "A" preference shares of the company, advices from London announce. Payment will be made to holders who were on the register on December 12, 1935.

Sailing schedules of the Cunard-White Star Line indicate that the Berengaria is to be withdrawn from the Atlantic service with the commissioning of the Queen Mary.

It is suggested that in view of the fact that the vessel would not be available for any other route and would be too large for cruising, she may share the fate of the Mauretania and Olympic. She is the oldest of the three express liners.

Her last scheduled sailing from Southampton to New York is April 20. The Queen Mary, Majestic and Aquitania are to make weekly sailings thereafter during the season.

NEARLY OBSOLETE

Projects to rehabilitate the Belgian merchant marine are being studied by the Government of that country. During the past few years, it is said, the Belgian merchant fleet has been fast disappearing from the seas, not only as a result of economic conditions, but principally due to the age of the individual units. On January 1, the average age of the vessels in the fleet was twenty-one years.

At present the Belgian fleet comprises approximately 350,000 tons, a total practically the same as twenty years ago. Of the existing tonnage, about 220,000 tons consist of obsolete vessels, which require financial aid from the Government to make up the deficit in operating costs.

DISCOVERY II SAILS SOUTH

Planes Will Search for Missing Explorers From Bay Of Whales

DUNEDIN, New Zealand, Jan. 2 (AP).—The steamship Discovery II, laden with food, medical supplies and two airplanes, sailed today for the Bay of Whales, on the Antarctic Ross Sea, to search for the explorer Lincoln Ellsworth and his pilot, Herbert Hollock-Kenyon, of Winnipeg.

The 1,036-ton vessel, dispatched by the British and Australian Governments, was expected to arrive at Little America about the middle of this month.

If Ellsworth and Hollick-Kenyon, unreported since November 23 after starting a flight over Antarctica, have not been found by that time, the planes aboard the Discovery II will make searching flights.

CIVIL PLANES FOR ETHIOPIA

British Firm Will Have Four Ready for Delivery Shortly

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Four British light airplanes will make up the equipment of a "communications flight" which will be attached to the Ethiopian Imperial Staff. They are scheduled for delivery in about three months. If urgently wanted, they will be flown out to Addis Ababa.

This order is the outcome of use by press photographers in Abyssinia of a Percival Gull low-wing cabin monoplane. It attracted the Emperor's attention, and he caused inquiries to be made which ended in signing a contract for four similar machines. Top speed of the Gull, which derives power from a de Haviland Gipsy-Six 200-horsepower engine, is 172 miles per hour, and it cruises at about 150 miles an hour. Range, with three occupants and luggage, on one fuel load is 640 miles in still air. A machine of the same kind was used by Miss Jean Batten for her recent great solo flight across the South Atlantic Ocean, though in her airplane the passenger space is occupied by extra fuel tanks.

The Abyssinian Gulls will carry no arms and will rank as civil aircraft. Their equipment will be exactly similar to that of the standard Gull as sold for private and commercial flying. The intention is to use them to carry urgent messages and members of the Imperial Staff.

CABLE SHIP TOTAL LOSS

Eastern Extension Company Will Build Another Craft For Service

Aground on a rock off Cape St. James, near Saigon, since the end of November, the Eastern Extension Telegraph Company's cable layer ship, the Cable, has been declared a total loss, states The Singapore Free Press.

Fore and aft decks are submerged and water was reported to be breaking through the engine-room skylights during heavy weather.

The Cable is the only cable-laying and repair ship in the Straits division, in which she operated for eleven years. She covered an area extending from Colombo to Manila, and from Shanghai to Port Darwin.

Replacing the Cable, the Telegraph Company engaged the cable ship Pacific, which was at Shanghai. She will be utilized until the cable ship Recorder of the Australia division can take over the duties. It is the intention of the company to build a new vessel.

The loss of the Cable is felt keenly at Singapore, as she was reputedly a wonderful ocean-going vessel with a large radius of action and a light draught (17.4 feet) which facilitated operations in comparatively shallow waters. She was built by A. Stephen & Sons, Limited, Glasgow, in 1924, especially for the Eastern Extension.

Vancouver Shipping

VANCOUVER, Jan. 2 (P.)—Seamen and longshoremen along Vancouver's waterfront observed New Year's Day in traditional style and only two boats were worked, employing seventy-two longshoremen.

R.M.S. Niagara, which sailed yesterday for the Antipodes, and the British motorship Pacific Enterprise were the only vessels worked.

Activity was resumed today and 700 men were loading and unloading cargo from deep-sea vessels.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 2 (P.)—The German motorship Seattle, of the Harmburg-American Line, arrived here today from Germany with eleven passengers and general cargo. She will sail tomorrow with a cargo of grain, logs and concentrates for Hamburg.

The Anglo-Columbian, a British steamship under command of Capt. F. Barslow, is due here tomorrow to take on a cargo of lumber and wheat for United Kingdom ports.

Ms. Pacific Enterprise is loading wheat, flour and general cargo here and will leave for New Westminster on Saturday to complete for United Kingdom ports.

The freighters Alhena, Boulderpool, Themisto, Salmonpool, Stonepool and Pukkastan are due to arrive here within the next month under charter to the Empire Shipping Co., Ltd.

Rumors Denied by Steamer Head of Canadian Pacific

LONDON, Jan. 2 (P.)—Rumors that Canadian Pacific Steamships, Limited, plans to build three 30,000-ton ocean liners this year were denied today by Captain R. G. Latta.

Captain Latta, in charge of the steamship office here, declared the company has not ordered any new ships.

Is Traveling and Lecturing

ALOHA WANDERWELL

Hongkong papers recently received here tell of the visit to that city of the Wanderwell party, which left here some months ago on a jaunt she said at the time would take her around the world. Commenting on the former Vancouver Island girl's appearance in Hongkong, the paper said "Few women are more aptly fitted to figure in the category of 'Interesting Women' than Miss Aloha Wanderwell. Tall, slim and strong, Miss Wanderwell has driven through eighty countries since 1920. Millions of Americans have heard tales of her adventures through the microphone." She appeared at Hongkong theatres in late November in a series of "Travel Talks," illustrating them with both animated and still pictures.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Weather Report

ESTEVAN — Partly cloudy; west, light; 29.97; 45, moderate swell.

LEONARD ISLAND — Partly cloudy; northwest, moderate; 29.98; modarate swell.

PACHENA—Partly cloudy; calm; 29.96; 46; moderate swell.

CARMANAH—Overcast; southwest, light; 30.00, moderate swell.

Wireless Report

(Estevan, 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated)

ROCKPOOL—Bound Vancouver, 130 miles south of Cape Flattery at 6 p.m.

DALCROY—Bound Victoria from Montreal, due Race Rocks at 10 p.m.

HARPAGON—Inbound, 1,200 miles from Estevan.

FLORIDA MARU—Bound New Westminster from San Pedro, 330 miles from New Westminster.

MALA—Bound Honolulu, 2,038 miles from Honolulu.

ALBERTOLITE — Vancouver for San Pedro, 778 miles from San Pedro.

Transpacific Mails

CHINA AND JAPAN

PRESIDENT JACKSON—Mails close 4 p.m., January 4. Due at Yokohama, January 17; Shanghai, January 21; Hongkong, January 24.

*HIKAWA MARU—Mails close 11:15 p.m., January 7. Due at Yokohama, January 21.

†EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Mails close 4 p.m., January 9. Due at Yokohama, January 24; Shanghai, January 28; Hongkong, February 1.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY—Mails close 4 p.m., January 18. Due at Yokohama, January 31; Shanghai, February 4; Hongkong, February 7.

*HIYE MARU—Mails close 11:15 p.m., January 22. Due at Yokohama, February 4.

PRESIDENT GRANT—Mails close 4 p.m., February 1. Due at Yokohama, February 14; Shanghai, February 18; Honskong, February 21.

*Mails for Japan only.
†Carries mail for Honolulu.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

NIAGARA—Mails close 4 p.m., January 1. Due at Auckland, January 20; Sydney, January 25.

MONTEREY (Via San Francisco)—Mails close 11:15 p.m., January 4. Due at Auckland, January 24; Sydney, January 27.

MAUNGANUI (Via San Francisco)—Mails close 11:15 p.m., January 12. Due at Wellington, February 5; Sydney, February 8.

AORANGI—Mails close 4 p.m., January 29. Due at Auckland, February 17; Sydney, February 22.

West Coast Mails

Mails close 10 p.m., 1st, 11th and 21st of each month for Ahousat, Bamfield, Crescent, Clayoquot, Clo-oose, Ecoole, Estevan Point, Kakawis, Kildonan, Kyuquot, Nootka, Port Alberni, Port Renfrew, Sechart, Tofino, Ucluelet. Due 7:15 p.m., 8th 18th and 28th of each month, except Mails close 10 p.m., 21st each month, and 9:45 a.m., 22nd each month, for Centre Island. Due 1:15 p.m., 28th of each month.

Mails close 9:45 a.m., 8th, 18th and 28th of each month, except Sundays, for Clo-oose, Port Renfrew, Bamfield and Kildonan.

Mails close 9:45 a.m., Thursday and Saturday, for Bamfield, Ecoole, Kildonan, Ecoole.

San Mateo, Sechart, Ucluelet. Due 5:10 p.m., Tuesday and Saturday.

Mails close 11:15 p.m., Monday, and 1 p.m., Friday, for Holberg, Port Alice, Quatsino. Due 7 a.m., Tuesday and Friday.

Mails close 15 p.m., 1st of each month, and 5:45 a.m., 2nd of each month, for Cachalot. Due 1:15 p.m., 8th of each month.

Coasting Craft

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria at 2 p.m. daily for Vancouver; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive daily at Victoria from Vancouver at 8:30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 12 midnight; Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will arrive Victoria daily from Vancouver at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria at 4:30 p.m. daily for Seattle; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive daily at Victoria from Seattle.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE — Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois arrives in Victoria daily from Seattle at 8:25 a.m.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday at 8 a.m. and 2:30 p.m., arriving at Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday at 1:15 p.m. and 5:40 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo Saturday only at 8 a.m., 2:30 p.m. and 9:15 p.m., arriving at Nanaimo Saturday only at 1:15 p.m. and 5:45 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo on Sunday only at 5:45 p.m., arriving at Nanaimo on Sunday only at 1:15 p.m. and 11:15 p.m.

VICTORIA-WEST COAST — Ss. Princess Maquinna will leave Victoria for West Coast of Vancouver Island ports on the first, eleventh and twenty-first of each month at 11 p.m.

VANCOUVER-NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA—Ss. Princess Adelaide will leave Vancouver every Wednesday for Prince Rupert and way ports at 5 p.m.; Ss. Prince Rupert or Ss. Prince George will leave Vancouver for Stewart and way ports every Monday at 8 p.m.; Ss. Cardena will leave Vancouver every Tuesday at 5 p.m. for Prince Rupert and way ports; Ss. Catala will leave Vancouver every Friday at 9 p.m. for Stewart and way ports.

VANCOUVER — QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS—Ss. Prince Charles will leave Vancouver every alternate Saturday for Queen Charlotte Island points and Prince Rupert at 5 p.m.

SWARTZ BAY-FULFORD HARBOR — Mv. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay daily, except Wednesdays, at 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; Mv. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor daily, except Wednesdays, at 8:15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY—Mv. Cascade leaves Brentwood daily at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12 noon, 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m. and 5 p.m.; Mv. Cascade leaves Mill Bay daily at 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS — Princess Mary leaves Victoria every Tuesday for Jamaa Island, Piers Island, Port Washington, Genoes Harbor, Mayne Island, Galiano Island and Vancouver at 10:30 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 8 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8:35 a.m.

SIDNEY-ANACORTES—Ss. Rosario will leave Sidney daily for Anacortes at 1:45 p.m.; Ss. Rosario will arrive Sidney daily from Anacortes at 1:15 p.m.

Shipping Calendar

TO ARRIVE

CORTONA—United Kingdom, January 6.
IXION—China and Japan, January 7.
PRESIDENT McKINLEY — Philippines, China and Japan, January 7.
HIYE MARU (Vancouver)—Japan, January 8.
DAMSTERDYK—Rotterdam and London, January 11.
PACIFIC PIONEER — United Kingdom, January 14.
MODAVIA—United Kingdom, January 20.
PRESIDENT GRANT—Philippines, China and Japan, January 21.
HEIAN MARU (Vancouver) — Japan, January 22.
AORANGI—Australia, New Zealand, Fiji and Hawaii, January 24.
LOCHKATRINE—United Kingdom, January 25.
PACIFIC TRADER — United Kingdom, January 28.

TO DEPART

NIAGARA—Hawaii, Fiji, New Zealand and Australia, January 1.
PRESIDENT JACKSON — Japan, China and Philippines, January 4.
HIKAWA MARU (Vancouver) — Japan, January 8.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA — Japan, China and Philippines, January 18.
HIYE MARU (Vancouver)—Japan, January 22.
AORANGI—Australia, New Zealand, Fiji and Hawaii, January 24.
LOCHKATRINE—United Kingdom, January 25.
PACIFIC TRADER — United Kingdom, January 28.

Gulf Island Mail

GANGES, GALIANO, MAYNE, PENDER ISLAND, PORT WASHINGTON, SALTSPRING ISLAND

Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, Friday 11:15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m.
Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Sunday Wednesday, Friday, 9:15 a.m.

BEAVER POINT, FULFORD HARBOR
Mails close Tuesday, 15 a.m.; Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Sunday, Wednesday, Friday 7:15 a.m.

SATURNA
Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Friday 15 a.m.

SOUTH PENDER
Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 7:15 p.m.; Friday, 7:15 a.m.

MUSGRAVE
Mails close Tuesday, 15 a.m.; Friday 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Sunday, Wednesday, 7:15 a.m.

NORTH GALIANO
Mails close Sunday, 11:15 p.m.

Canadian Air Mail Service

Mails close at Victoria, 8:30 a.m. Monday. Arrive London, Ont. (via Detroit), 8:15 a.m., Wednesday; Hamilton, Ont. (via Buffalo), 9 a.m., Wednesday; Toronto (via Buffalo), 11 a.m., Wednesday; Ottawa, 3:25 p.m., Wednesday. Montreal, 11:25 a.m., Wednesday; Winnipeg (via Fargo), 10:30 a.m., Wednesday; Saint John, N.B., 8:55 a.m., Thursday; Halifax, N.S., 9:45 p.m., Thursday.

Mails close at Victoria, 4 p.m., Monday. Arrive London, Ont. (via Detroit)

Yukon and Atlin Mails

VIA VANCOUVER—Mails close 11:15 p.m., December 13 and 27; January 10 and 24.

VIA SEATTLE — Mails close 4 p.m., December 6 and 20; January 3 and 17.

COMPETITION IS IN ORDER

New Zealand Taking Steps To Help Shipping With Subsidies

MONTREAL, Jan. 2.—The New Zealand Government, through Hon. P. Fraser, Minister of Marine, has indicated that it will take the first step in meeting foreign competition on the Pacific by subsidizing its services on those waters.

Nothing official has been yet heard from the other Dominion Governments affected as to what will be done to support the Canadian-Australian Line, also said to be hit by outside competition. Alexander Shaw, chairman of the P. & O. Steamship Company, and Sir Edward Beatty, head of the Canadian Pacific Railway—which holds a part interest in the line—recently drew attention to the need for Government support of the British link between Canada and the Antipodes.

Mr. Shaw was reported as stating that the Antipodes-United States service would be withdrawn and that the Canadian-Australasian Line was also in danger of extinction.

Hon. P. Fraser, the New Zealand Minister of Marine, was quoted as saying: "We cannot agree to stand idly by and allow our ships to be driven off the seas. We are an island nation, and an important part of our life is on the sea, which is the breath of life for many of our industries.

NOT ANTAGONISTIC

"The government does not harbor a spirit of antagonism against any competitor. We want to live on good terms with all Pacific nations. But we have to consider how we can maintain our ships in the Pacific and Tasman seas."

The foreign competitor—i.e., the Matson Line—in the Pacific has been an issue for some time. Services between Australia and New Zealand, between the Antipodes and the United States and between Antipodes and Canada are said to be affected.

If the United States service is withdrawn, the Canadian-Australasian Line—owned jointly by the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand—will be the sole remaining link on the Pacific.

Officers of Navy Are Promoted

CAPTAIN V. G. BRODEUR

OTTAWA, Jan. 2 (P.)—Commander V. G. Brodeur, of the Royal Canadian Navy, has been appointed captain, as of January 1, 1936, it was announced yesterday by the Department of National Defence. Lieutenant-Commander G. M. Hibbard, R.C.N., has been promoted to commander, to date January 1, 1936.

What Today Means

"CAPRICORN"

If January 3 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 10 a.m. until noon, from 3 to 5 p.m. and from 8 to 10 p.m. The danger periods are from 8 to 10 a.m., from 5 to 7 p.m. and from 10 p.m. until midnight.

It might be advisable to take a great deal of what is told to you this day, with a big pinch of salt. Some highly imaginative people will unintentionally distort facts. Scandal-mongers will be on the outlook for choice bits of gossip, so be on your guard if thrown in contact with someone you know is afflicted with tale-bearing proclivities. Business men and salesmen will have to practice self-control this day, for prospective customers are likely to be unreasonably demanding. There is a chance of your committing an offense against some social convention, should you attend a friendly gathering, so be on the alert to prevent such a thing. Married and engaged couples, and any couple in love with each other, will make a grave mistake by not being cordial to present or prospective in-laws.

If a woman and January 3 is your birthday, you may have a nature that one minute is up in the clouds, and then down in the depths. Try to realize that nearly everything that happens, no matter how painful the experience may seem, is usually for the best. It may be a badly needed lesson we are learning, or a preparatory one to fit us better for an unanticipated progressive step. Who knows? But no matter what the whys and wherefores are, a cheerful spirit will do far more to help you overcome obstacles, than a depressed one, so it will pay you to be cheerful. You apparently are destined to be successful after a brief series of ups and downs. As an interior decorator, designer, professional shopper, secretary, saleslady or story writer you may win an enviable reputation. It would seem that marriage is the logical way for you to secure the greatest amount of happiness and congenial companionship.

The child born on January 3 will probably from its earliest childhood, be a source of gratification and happiness to its parents. It ought to have a very affectionate disposition and a magnetic personality.

If a man and January 3 is your natal day, you probably will be placed in a position of power. You may be able to exercise a good influence over many people. As an educator, preacher, lecturer, actor, sales manager, writer, engineer or statesman you are apt to attract much attention.

STEVEDORES IN MERGER

Strong Combination of Oregon and Washington Interests in Pool

SEATTLE, Jan. 2 (AP.)—A merger of three large stevedore companies operating in Oregon and Washington ports, was announced here today by company officials.

The Rothschild Stevedoring Company of Puget Sound, the International Stevedoring Company of Puget Sound, Columbia and Willamette Rivers and Coos Bay, and the W. J. Jones Company of Oregon have pooled their interests.

Rowland C. Clapp, president of the Rothschild, and Charles Tait, vice-president of the International, said the merger will enable the companies to handle 120 ships a month on Puget Sound and the southern range.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

British Columbia—Wellboro Channel Hardwicke Island, Carterer Point—Light established. Position, on the point, east end of Hardwicke Island; latitude N., 50 degrees 27 minutes and 18 seconds; longitude W., 125 degrees 45 minutes and 35 seconds, taken from Admiralty chart No. 3,260 (edition, September, 1928); character, flashing white acetylene light, automatically flashed at short intervals; elevation, fifteen feet; structure, white concrete base surmounted by a pole with red lantern on top. Remarks: The light is unwatched.

British Columbia — Harbors in Barkley Sound and Juan de Fuca Strait: New Charts issued. The following charts have just been issued by the Canadian Hydrographic Service: Vancouver Island, plans of harbors (Barkley Sound) numbered 346, with the following insets: San Mateo Bay and approaches, on a scale of 1-12,162 or 1,013 feet to an inch; Banfield Inlet, on a scale of 1-12,162 or 1,013 feet to an inch; Pipestem Inlet, on a scale of 1-12,162 or 1,013 feet to an inch. Plans of harbors, Juan de Fuca Strait, numbered 347, with the following insets: Beecher Bay and Pedder Inlet, Race Passage, on a scale of 1-24,321 or 2,027 feet to an inch; Port San Juan, on a scale of 1-18,242 or 1,520 feet to an inch.

Copies may be obtained from the Hydrographic Service, Department of Marine, Ottawa.

R. K. SMITH,
Deputy Minister.

Northern Points

PRINCE RUPERT AND POINTS WEST OF FORESTDALE

Mails close Mondays, Wednesday, Friday and via C.P.R. Skeena steamers, 1:15 p.m.
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Mails close Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, 11:15 p.m., via Kamloops and Jasper.
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Mails close Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, 11:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, Thursday, Saturday, 3:30 p.m.

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Mails close Monday, Friday, 1:15 p.m.
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SWANSON BAY

Mails close Tuesday, 1:15 p.m.
Mails due Monday, 3:30 p.m.

OCEAN FALLS

Mails close Monday, Wednesday, 1:15 p.m.
Mails due Sunday, 7:15 a.m.

British Mails

SS. AQUITANIA (Via New York)—Mails close 4 p.m., January 2.
SS. MONTCLARE—Mails close 1.30 p.m., January 3.
SS. EUROPA (Via New York)—Mails close 4 p.m., January 8.

Mail intended for transmission via New York must be so marked. When sent by air over United States lines, mail may be posted three days later than the dates indicated.

WEST INDIES GENERALLY

Mails close 12 noon, January 1.

JAMAICA

Mails close 1.30 p.m., January 2 and 4.

Honolulu Mails

VIA SAN FRANCISCO—Mails close 11:15 p.m., December 7, 8, 10, 15, 17, 21, 23, 24, 26 and 28; January 1, 4, 5 and 12.
MS. AORANGI — Mails close 4 p.m., December 4.
SS. EMPRESS OF CANADA—Mails close 4 p.m., December 28.
SS. NIAGARA — Mails close 4 p.m., January 1.
SS. EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Mails close 4 p.m., January 9.

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1936

THE YEAR OF PROMISE

The past year has been good to Vancouver Island. Mining and logging industries have produced a larger payroll than in any other year since the depression, while the gratifying increase in the number of tourists has done much to improve the tone of business.

It is our hope that the New Year will cover an even greater mileage on the highroad to Prosperity—that the Island will experience an increase in industrial turnover—a larger number of tourists from everywhere—and that the comfort, convenience and economy of bus travel will continue in its ever-increasing popularity.

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SOCIAL HALL TO BE CONSTRUCTED

Changes to Interior of Y.M.C.A. Are Planned by Women's Auxiliary Of Association

Work on modernizing the Y.M.C.A. lobby will commence Monday, Frank Paulding, general secretary, announced yesterday. The project is being undertaken by the Women's Auxiliary.

A social hall capable of seating 120 persons will be made out of the side of the lobby. The general office will be set back several feet and the shape of its front is to be changed. Later, it is planned to partition off the right side of the lobby also.

Thirty-five boys under Archie McKinnon will take part in an indoor field and track meet set for 8 o'clock this evening at the Y.M.C.A.

Regular physical classes will commence again on Monday, after the seasonal holiday. Boys' swimming classes will be resumed on Tuesday afternoon and girls' and women's on Wednesday. The Senior Swimming Club will meet at 8:15 o'clock Wednesday evening.

Radio Programmes

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

TODAY

8:30 a.m.—Combined N.B.C. networks will present an account of the opening of the United States Congress. Columbia will be on the air with a later account at 9 o'clock. KOMO, KJR, KOL, KVI.

2 p.m.—Al Pearce and His Gang, with Harry Sosnik's Orchestra. KOMO.

4 p.m.—Entitled "When the Stars Come Out," a series of weekly talks by Dr. Robert H. Baker, noted astronomer, will be heard over the N.B.C. red network. KOMO.

5:30 p.m.—Red Nichols' Orchestra, with Ben Grauer and sports luminaries, will be heard from N.B.C. New York studios. KOMO.

5:30 p.m.—Carmela Ponselle will sing Bond's "End of a Perfect Day"; Oscar Shaw and Elizabeth Lennox will be heard in a duet, "I Love You" from "Little Jesse James," and "Sweet Music," and with the chorus, Shaw will sing "Thanks a Million" and "Till the Clouds Roll By" during this half-hour Columbia feature, "Broadway Varieties." KOL, KVI.

6 p.m.—President Franklin D. Roosevelt will be heard delivering his annual message to the United States Congress, convened earlier in the day, over combined red and blue networks of N.B.C. KOMO. KJR.

6 p.m.—Ann Harding and Herbert Marshall will pay a return visit to Dick Powell's "Hollywood Hotel" programme to present scenes from their forthcoming production, "The Indestructable Mrs. Talbot." Music will be offered by Powell, Frances Langford, Ann Jamison and Igor Gorin, with Ray Paige's Orchestra. This programme may be cancelled in order that President Roosevelt may be heard. KOL, KVI, KSL.

7:30 p.m.—Dramatized news highlights on "The March of Time." KOL, KVI, KSL.

8:30 p.m.—Helen Jepson and James Melton will sing the leading roles in a "Beauty Box Theatre" presentation of the musical success, "Irene." KOMO.

9 p.m.—The Colonist news. CFCT.

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1,450 keys)

7.45 a.m.—Musical Grab Bag.
8.00 a.m.—Dr. Clem Davies.
8.30 a.m.—Musical Chronometer.
9.00 a.m.—Let's Go Places With Eric Marshall.
9.15 a.m.—Morning Moods.
9.30 a.m.—Financial Report.
9.35 a.m.—Alphabetts.
9.45 a.m.—Golden Melodies.
10.00 a.m.—Dr. Clem Davies.
10.15 a.m.—Estella Kelly.
10.30 a.m.—Art Farey at the Piano.
11.00 a.m.—Modern Rhythm.
11.30 a.m.—Concert Music.
12.00 noon—Today's Tempo.
12.15 a.m.—World Bookman: "What Is the Oldest of All the Arts?"
12.20 p.m.—Ten Tuneful Minutes.
12.30 p.m.—CFCT World Flashes.
12.45 p.m.—Midday Musical.
1.00 p.m.—Daily Monitor.
5.30 p.m.—Birthday Party.
6.00 p.m.—Big Brother Al.
6.30 p.m.—Music Lovers' Corner
6.40 p.m.—Song Parade.
7.00 p.m.—Sundown.
7.30 p.m.—Capt. Harbord.
7.45 p.m.—After Sundown.
8.30 p.m.—Reflections in Melody.
9.00 p.m.—Colonist News

CJOR, Vancouver, B.C. (600 keys)

1.00 p.m.—News
1.15 p.m.—Barney's Music School.
2.15 p.m.—Bill Browne's Brevities.
3.15 p.m.—Watanabe and Archie, E.T
6.00 p.m.—Radio Night Club
6.15 p.m.—News Flashes.
6.45 p.m.—Star Dust, R. Chapman.
7.00 p.m.—Fireside Programme.
7.15 p.m.—Real Life Drama
7.30 p.m.—Dr. Lyle Telford, talk.
9.00 p.m.—Sports Broadcast.
10.15 p.m.—To be announced.
11.00 p.m.—News Flashes.

CKWX, Vancouver, B.C. (1,010 keys)

4.30 p.m.—Pete Cowan's Old Timers
8.15 p.m.—Famous Players' Programme.
6.30 p.m.—Newspaper of the Air.
7.15 p.m.—British-Israel Lecture.
8.00 p.m.—Piano Echoes.
8.15 p.m.—Garden Nurseries Address.
9.00 p.m.—Contract Bridge Lessons.
9.15 p.m.—Red Clay's Serenaders.
9.45 p.m.—Great Britain Today, talk.
10.00 p.m.—Oriental Gardens.
10.30 p.m.—Sandy De Santis' Orchestra
11.00 p.m.—Bal Tavern.
11.30 p.m.—Paul Michelin, organist

CKCV, Vancouver, B.C. (1,100 keys)

5.00 p.m.—Dance Cycle.
5.30 p.m.—See C.B.C. Network.

CKMO, Vancouver, B.C. (1,110 keys)

1.15 p.m.—Betty Lee, Women's Programme
2.00 p.m.—Works of Old Masters.
4.30 p.m.—Tea Time Music.
6.00 p.m.—British Empire Programme.
7.00 p.m.—Port Office Clock.
7.01 p.m.—Investment Talk.
7.30 p.m.—Dune Andres, P. J. Murphy.
8.00 p.m.—Ah Hines' Hawaiians
8.15 p.m.—Billy Bran, monologue.
8.30 p.m.—Texas Drifters.
8.45 p.m.—B.C. Workers' News
9.00 p.m.—Jimmie Grier's Radio Gang

C.B.C. NETWORK

5.30 p.m.—News, Vancouver (B.C. Network).
5.30 p.m.—Concert Hour, director, Ben Kyte, Detroit (B.C. 5.45).
6.00 p.m.—Anything Goes, Halifax
6.30 p.m.—Canadian Concert Hall of the Air, director, J. J. Gagnier, Leo Pal Marin, pianist, Montreal.
7.00 p.m.—Up-to-the-Minute, music and drama, Toronto.
7.30 p.m.—Gene Fosarty's Chateau Laurier Orchestra, Ottawa.
7.45 p.m.—Canadian Press News.
8.00 p.m.—Time Signal.
8.00 p.m.—Fiesta, director, Don Pedro Gonzales, Vancouver (Mideast and Western Network).
8.30 p.m.—Woodhouse and Hawkins in Nitwit Court, Calgary (Western Network).
8.45 p.m.—Woodwind Duo, Winnipeg (Western Network).
9.00 p.m.—The Ghost Walker, dramatic, director, Mercer McLeod, Trail (Western Network).
9.30 p.m.—Three Guitars, Prince Albert (Mountain Network).
9.45 p.m.—Remember Tunes of Not So Long Ago, Calgary (Mountain Network).
10.00 p.m.—News (B.C. Network)
10.15 p.m.—Harmony Violins, director, Sydney Kelland, Vancouver (B.C. Network).
10.30 p.m.—Bob Lyons' Orchestra, Vancouver (B.C. Network).

N.B.C. NETWORK (Red)
KGW-KPI-KPO-KOMO

8.00 a.m.—To be announced.
9.00 a.m.—Sitting Time.
9.30 a.m.—Merry Madcaps.
10.00 a.m.—Soloist.
10.30 a.m.—Dance Orchestra
11.00 a.m.—Music of Speech, Vida Sutton
11.30 a.m.—Airbreaks
12.15 p.m.—Ma Perkins, dramatic.
12.30 p.m.—Vic and Sade, household comedy.
12.45 p.m.—The O'Neils, dramatic.
1.00 p.m.—Betty and Bob, dramatic
1.15 p.m.—Gene Arnold and Ranch Boys
1.30 p.m.—Dramatic Sketch.
1.45 p.m.—Betty Marlowe and Her Californians.
2.00 p.m.—Al Pearce and His Gang.
2.30 p.m.—Hazel Warner, contralto, Paul Carson, organ.
2.45 p.m.—Clara, Lou and Em, comedy
3.00 p.m.—Woman's Magazine of the Air
4.15 p.m.—Concert Recital
4.30 p.m.—Frances Adair.
4.45 p.m.—Lansendorf Pictorial, Rush Hughes.
5.00 p.m.—Irene Rich in drama.
5.15 p.m.—Nuts and Bolts
5.30 p.m.—College Prom, Red Nichols' Orchestra
6.00 p.m.—President Roosevelt.
7.00 p.m.—First Nighter, drama, with Don Ameche.
7.30 p.m.—Pop Revue.
8.00 p.m.—Amos n' Andy
8.15 p.m.—Lum and Abner, comedy
8.30 p.m.—Beauty Box Theatre, director, John Barclay; Al Goodman's Orchestra
9.30 p.m.—Three Musketeers (KGO-KEX)
10.00 p.m.—News Flashes, Sam Hayes.
10.15 p.m.—Ricardo and his Violin.
10.30 p.m.—Eddie Fitzpatrick, Jr., and his Orchestra.
11.00 p.m.—Ted Lewis' Orchestra.
11.00 p.m.—Diamond Horseshoe, Charles Runyan (KPO).
11.30 p.m.—Biltmore Hotel Orchestra.

N.B.C. NETWORK (Blue)
KECA-KGO-KEX-KJR-KGA-KPSD

8.30 a.m.—Opening of United States Congress.
9.00 a.m.—Simpson Boys.
9.15 a.m.—Merry Macs.
9.30 a.m.—National Farm and Home Hour
10.00 a.m.—You Name It.
10.30 a.m.—Soloist
10.45 a.m.—Dot and Will
11.00 a.m.—Words and Music
11.30 a.m.—Western Farm and Home Hour
12.15 p.m.—U.S. Marine Band
12.45 p.m.—King's Jesters
1.00 p.m.—Women's Radio Revue
1.30 p.m.—Ward and Muzzy, two pianos
1.45 p.m.—Strolling Songsters
2.00 p.m.—Bavarian Orchestra.
2.30 p.m.—Organist.
2.45 p.m.—Dance Orchestra
3.00 p.m.—Animal News Club
3.15 p.m.—Soloist.
3.45 p.m.—Three Scamps.
4.15 p.m.—Tommy Harris
4.30 p.m.—Mayfair Orchestra.
4.45 p.m.—To be announced
5.00 p.m.—Marshall's Mavericks—
6.00 p.m.—President Roosevelt.
7.00 p.m.—Nickelodeon.
7.30 p.m.—The Other Americans
8.00 p.m.—Seigest
8.15 p.m.—Inkspots.
8.30 p.m.—St. Regis Orchestra.
9.00 p.m.—Shander
9.08 p.m.—Ray Noble's Orchestra.
9.30 p.m.—Dance Orchestra.
10.00 p.m.—Palace Hotel Orchestra.
10.30 p.m.—Bal Tabarin Orchestra.
11.00 p.m.—Diamond Horseshoe

C.B.S.—DON LEE NETWORK
KVI-KFRC-KOIN-KSL-KOL

8.30 a.m.—Ozark Mountaineers.
8.45 a.m.—Just Plain Bill, sketch.
9.00 a.m.—Congress Opening.
9.15 a.m.—Eddie Dunstedter, organ (KOL)
9.30 a.m.—Story of Mary Marlin, dramatic.
9.45 a.m.—Five Star Jones, dramatic.
10.00 a.m.—Josephine B. Gibson, food programme.
10.30 a.m.—The Continentals (KVI).
10.45 a.m.—Salon Trio.
11.00 a.m.—Between the Bookends.
11.30 a.m.—The Dictators.
12.00 noon—Bolek Musicale.
12.30 p.m.—Mark Warnow's Orchestra.
1.00 p.m.—Vivian Della Chiesa, soprano
1.15 p.m.—U.S. Army Band (KVI off 1.30)
2.00 p.m.—Joseph Plotke's Orchestra.
2.15 p.m.—Buddy Clark, baritone
3.00 p.m.—Feminine Fancies (Don Lee).
3.35 p.m.—Seth Grainer.
4.00 p.m.—Eduardo Varzos' Ensemble (KOL).
4.15 p.m.—Salvation Army Band (Don Lee-KOL).
4.45 p.m.—University of California Programme (Don Lee).
5.15 p.m.—World Affairs (Don Lee)
5.30 p.m.—Broadway Varieties, Oscar Shaw, baritone, M.C., Carmela Ponselle, mezzo-soprano, Elisabeth Lennox, Vic Arden's Orchestra.
6.00 p.m.—Hollywood Hotel, Dick Powell, M.C.; Anne Jamison, Frances Langford, Igor Gorin, Ray Paige's Orchestra.
7.30 p.m.—March of Time.
7.45 p.m.—France As It Seems (Don Lee)
8.00 p.m.—Mort and Marge, serial.
8.15 p.m.—Lazy Dan, the Minstrel Man.
8.45 p.m.—Dick Gardner's Orchestra (KVI).
9.00 p.m.—Richard Himber's Champions
10.00 p.m.—Frankie Master's Orchestra (Don Lee-KVI)
10.30 p.m.—Larry Lee's Orchestra (Don Lee).
11.30 p.m.—Cab Calloway's Orchestra

Some Headliners in the News of Last Year

The grim reaper of time slashes another year of the calendar of life, and with it goes events to be remembered and forgotten. What can you remember of 1935? What have you forgotten? As we gaze at the above pictures, the King's Silver Jubilee celebrations are recalled to mind and we remember how Their Majesties rode to St. Paul's Cathedral on that memorable May 6th (top centre). It was in June that more than 40,000 died in the earthquake at Quetta, Northern India (bottom left). In August, Queen Astrid of the Belgians was killed in an automobile accident (bottom centre), and as the few remaining months passed, the unofficial war between Ethiopia and Italy brought Emperor Selassie (bottom left) and Signor Mussolini (bottom right) into the limelight. Mackenzie King (top left) again became Prime Minister of Canada, and a new Governor-General, Lord Tweedsmuir (top right), came to take the place of the retiring Earl of Bessborough. Jean Batten (left centre), charming New Zealand flyer, completed the first woman's solo flight across the Southern Atlantic, while Sir C. Kingsford-Smith (right centre), Australia's celebrated aviator, disappeared into the unknown while trying to set a new record from England to Australia. As a fitting climax to a year of startling events, the exiled King George of Greece returned in triumph (bottom right) to his country to be hailed by the former Republican Helenians.

Radio Broadcast Of Colonist News On Air at 9 P.M.

THE Colonist news broadcast will, in future, be heard at 9 o'clock each evening instead of 9:45 o'clock as formerly. In the future all news broadcasts of The Colonist will be heard direct from the newsroom, thus enabling a more complete service to be given than before.

"OPEN HOUSE" IS POPULAR AFFAIR

Annual Event at Y.M.C.A. Attended By 750 Persons, on New Year's Day

Public interest in the Y.M.C.A. and its great work among boys and young men soared on New Year's Day, when 750 persons attended the annual "open house." Directors were on hand to show visitors around the premises.

Mrs. W. A. Jameson arranged an interesting musical programme on one side of the lobby, while refreshments were served on the other side by the Girls' Auxiliary under Miss Gertrude Waite. Tea was poured by Mrs. E. G. Rowebottom, Mrs. T. W. A. Gray, Mrs. Archie Wills and Miss L. B. Maxwell. The lobby was tastefully decorated with evergreen trees.

In a short speech of welcome in the gymnasium, E. Harrison, chairman of the physical department committee, explained work of the various classes. Demonstrations were given by the junior employed class under Robert Gordon, the senior leader corps under N. Collins, and the junior leader corps under Robert Anderton. The programme was in charge of Archie McKinnon and Vivian Shoemaker.

A basketball game was played between junior businessmen and the Y.M.C.A. intermediate team. Senior businessmen gave a volleyball exhibition.

BAR GOLD AT LONDON

MONTREAL, Jan. 2 (C.P.).—Bar gold in London up one cent at $35.03 in Canadian funds; 14½ at 4d in British funds. The fixed, $35 Washington price amounted to $35.19 in Canadian.

VENTURES' REPORT

TORONTO, Jan. 2 (C.P.).—Ventures, Limited, in an interim report covering the year 1935, shows an operating profit of $770,000, transferred to surplus account. After providing for the deficit of $629,644 as of December 31, 1934, the estimated surplus now stands at $240,355.

A dialogue from the police courts: Magistrate: "Why do you think your husband has tired of you?"

Wife: "Well, he spends his whole time in the garden, and never brings me a rose."

The whole case against husbands has never been better put.

At the Theatres

"COLLEGIATE" IS NOW AT DOMINION

Joe Penner, Jack Oakie, Ned Sparks, Frances Langford Starred In Comedy

Sparkling with new songs from the facile pens of Mack Gordon and Harry Revel, with grand comedy furnished mainly by Joe Penner, Jack Oakie and Ned Sparks, and with something like 150 beautiful girls for background, Paramount's latest musical, "Collegiate," opens today at the Dominion Theatre.

"Collegiate" is the first picture to give Frances Langford an important role though she has had singing parts in a couple of other films. She not only sings in her own lovely way, but she acts in this picture. Her principal number, "Will I Ever Know?" should become an immediate favorite.

Jack Oakie is cast as the ne'er-do-well nephew of a rich old lady who bequeaths him a girls' seminary at the outset of the story, with the proviso that he must stay away from the brimming flagon for a year.

Lynne Overman, Oakie's handyman, and Ned Sparks, his anti-publicity agent, join the playboy in his hitch-hiking journey to the school and on the road they encounter Joe Penner, who has a nice car, Plenty of money, and a bad case of amnesia.

What happens when the four change the school from a slow, dreary institution into a lively hall of learning gives this picture ample display of comedy with music.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE George Brent is a newspaper reporter again. The Irish-American actor comes of a newspaper family and worked at the trade. In "Front Page Woman," he portrayed the role of a newspaperman who thought all women were poor reporters until Bette Davis proved otherwise. In Warner Bros.' "Special Agent," the Cosmopolitan production which is now at the Playhouse Theatre, he plays the role of a reporter who brings to justice the nation's crime czar. He is co-starred again with Bette Davis.

CAPITOL THEATRE Irresistibly decked out in crinolines and pantalettes—sweater, happier and funnier than ever before—Shirley Temple returns to play her first great dramatic role in "The Littlest Rebel," Fox picture now at the Capitol Theatre. Adapted from the never-to-be-forgotten play, "The Littlest Rebel" presents Shirley Temple with the opportunity to act scenes of genuine pathos and drama which the marvelous child actress carries off in her usual easy manner.

EMPIRE THEATRE Matheson Lang is now appearing on the screen of the Empire Theatre, in one of England's outstanding pictures, "Drake of England." Athene Seyler, Jane Baxter and Henry Mollinson are also in the cast.

AMUSEMENTS

Capitol — Shirley Temple in "The Littlest Rebel."
Columbia—"The Best Man Wins," starring Jack Holt.
Dominion — Joe Penner in "Collegiate."
Empire—"Drake of England," starring Matheson Lang.
Little Orpheum — Claudette Colbert in "Private Worlds."
Playhouse — "Special Agent," featuring George Brent.

"PRIVATE WORLDS" IS AT LITTLE ORPHEUM

"Private Worlds," the new Claudette Colbert starring picture, comes today to the Little Orpheum Theatre.

"Private Worlds" is the story of a brilliant young woman psychiatrist who is unable to apply to the "private worlds" of her own mind the same skillful understanding that wins her fame in dealing with others. Obsessed with the memory of a sweetheart killed in the war, she is unable to yield to a newer, greater love until a near-catastrophe presents itself.

Boyer, the young French star who is winning laurels in Hollywood, plays opposite her. Closely tied up, with the main plot is a three-cornered romance involving McCrea, Miss Bennett and Miss Vinson.

COLUMBIA PRESENTS STIRRING SEA DRAMA

An amazingly vivid and graphic picture of the thrills, adventures and perils encountered by a pair of roustabout deep-sea divers appeared for the first time yesterday on the screen of the Columbia Theatre. It is called "The Best Man Wins" and stars those two rollicking screen hemen, Edmund Lowe and Jack Holt.

This thrilling new screen fare is entertainment of a vastly different and refreshing type, combining the diverse elements of sharp wit, boisterous action, undersea thrills that are unsurpassed for gripping excitement and striking beauty, and a tense dramatic theme.

DUTCH ANTI-NAZI MOVE REPORTED

AMSTERDAM (C.P.).—The Dutch Billiards Association has decided, with only a few dissenting votes, according to the Jewish Telegraph Agency, not to participate in any matches with German Billiards Associations because of discrimination against Jews in the Third Reich.

Old Syme and his nephew, Henry, visited London to see an important football match. After the game they called at an inn.

The barmaid was a flirt, and made quite a fuss of Henry. Presently, hearing a newsboy shouting "Football results," Syme went to buy a paper, leaving Henry and the barmaid alone.

Leaning invitingly towards him until her lips were enticingly near, the girl whispered: "Now's your chance!"

"So it is," replied Henry — and quickly drank his uncle's beer.

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MAROONS BEAT LEAFS IN THRILL-PACKED FIXTURE

Australia Away To Great Start With S. Africa

Eight Wickets Fall for 362 Runs as Third Test Match Opens—Fingleton and Brown Display Form in First-Wicket Partnership—Balaskas Bowls Splendidly—10,000 Present

CAPETOWN, Jan. 2 (AP).—A great first-wicket partnership by J. H. Fingleton and W. A. Brown gave Australia a good start in the third test cricket match against South Africa today, but the remaining batsmen gave only poor support, and at the close eight wickets were down for 362 runs.

Yesterday's disturbance, when hundreds of spectators invaded the pitch following postponement of the opening day's play protesting against a decision not to refund ticket money, was forgotten as 10,000 people passed through the gates in windy weather and an overcast sky.

Fingleton and Brown put on 23 before the former was dismissed for a well-played 112. Brown was third out at 251 after making 12. A. G. Chipperfield and Charles Grimmett each obtained 30, Grimmett being unbeaten at the adjournment.

The sudden reverse in Australia's fortunes was due to a fine spell of bowling by Balaskas, young Greek spin bowler, playing in his second match since he was forced out of the game in the middle of South Africa's English tour last Summer through an elbow injury. He captured four wickets.

Australia won the first test at Durban, and the second at Johannesburg ended in a draw.

The scores—

AUSTRALIA
First Innings

J. H. Fingleton, c Wade, b Balaskas	112
W. A. Brown, c and b Robertson	121
S. J. McCabe, c and b Balaskas	0
L. S. Darling, lbw b Balaskas	12
V. Y. Richardson, lbw b Crisp	14
A. G. Chipperfield, b Langton	30
W. A. Oldfield, b Robertson	8
C. V. Grimmett, not out	30
W. J. O'Reilly, b Balaskas	17
E. L. McCormick, not out	0
Extras	18
Total, for eight wickets	362

ELLIOTT AND DEVORA WILL BATTLE HERE

Clever Wrestlers to Meet Tomorrow Evening in Semi-Windup

Speed, rapid-fire action and plenty of clean wrestling should be presented tomorrow evening at the Tillicum gymnasium when Dr. Nap Devora, clever Providence, Rhode Island, wrestler, climbs over the ropes to meet King Elliott, New Zealand, in the semi-windup of the weekly show at the local palace de squirm. They are billed to go five eight-minute rounds in what promises to be the smartest bout seen here for many a day.

Rugged Bob Kruse, Oswego heavyweight, and one of the mat game's leading bone-benders, and Tiger Daula, giant East Indian from Punjab, India, will share the spotlight position in the eight ten-minute round main event.

Two Victoria wrestlers will appear in the special event which will open the show at 8:45 o'clock.

FAST GRAPPLERS

Devora and Elliott are two fast, clever grapplers who always give the fans plenty of action from the first tap of the gong. Experts in their chosen profession, they prefer the clean style of grappling to the rough and unorthodox tactics so often presented by many of the present-day squirmers.

The Kruse-Daula bout promises to be quite the reverse, with enough fireworks thrown in to keep the fans on their toes all of the way. Daula will be remembered for his bouts here a few years ago, while Kruse, one of the most rugged of the young crop of leading heavyweights, always gives the fans plenty of action.

With such a variety offered on the initial programme for the current season, one of the biggest crowds in many years is expected to be on hand to see the squirmers in action.

Tickets are moving briskly, with the advance bookings far in excess of any during the past season.

Prepares for 1936 Olympics

MAXI HERBER

The German Skating Champion Who Charmed Canadian Enthusiasts Last Year With Her Beautiful Skating, Is Shown Above Practicing at Garmisch Partenkirchen for the Olympic Games.

ARMORIES TO BE SCENE OF INDOOR MEET

Kiwanis Inter-City Event Billed for January 17—Varsity Stars Coming

With leading tracksters from the University of British Columbia, opposing members of Coach Archie McKinnon's flying "Y" squad, the second annual Kiwanis Club charity indoor inter-city track meet will be staged at the spacious Bay Street Armories on Friday, January 17. Definite announcement of the scene of the big event was made yesterday by S. J. D. Clack, chairman of the Kiwanis Club committee.

JOE ADDISON

Staged for the first time last year, the meet drew over 1,000 fans to the Armories to see the cream of British Columbia track and field material in action, and the charity fund of the Kiwanis Club benefited considerably. This year's event promises to draw a still larger crowd to the local Armories.

Arranging of the programme is left with Archie McKinnon, popular and energetic coach of the Y.M.C.A. track and field stars, and one of the leading coaches in the country. McKinnon has full charge of this important part of the big event, and is sure to draw up an interesting and exciting list of events for the fans.

Leading the blue and gold athletes of the University of British Columbia here for the invasion will be Howie McPhee, captain of the Varsity squad and one of the sweetest sprinters in the country. McPhee has a fine string of sprinters and distance stars on his club, and figures to make an excellent showing against the best men that Coach Archie McKinnon can muster.

POOLE EXPECTED

Alan Poole, sensational young sprinter from Kelowna, who showed here last Summer at Macdonald Park, is also expected to make the trip to the city for the big indoor meet.

In addition to the University of British Columbia and Victoria Y.M.C.A. track and field stars, leading sprinters from Up-Island points are also expected to come here for the event.

With the cream of British Columbia's talent assembled, the event promises to be even more colorful and interesting than last year. In addition to the track and field events, comedy numbers are expected to be presented on the programme.

The first event is billed to commence at 8:15 o'clock, and when the athletes line up for the initial event, it is expected that a large crowd of track and field fans will be on hand to greet them.

SPECTACULAR FIST FIGHT FEATURE OF MONTREAL VICTORY

All Players on Both Teams Engage in Mix-Up—Hooley Smith, Lionel Conacher, Red Horner, Charlie Conacher and Davidson Chased—Americans Whip Rangers by 6-3 Score

MONTREAL, Jan. 2 (CP). — Montreal Maroons tonight scored a 5-2 victory over their bitterest rivals, Toronto Maple Leafs, in one of the most thrill-packed games the Forum has seen in many seasons. It was climaxed by a spectacular free-for-all fight on the ice that left the teams playing short-handed for most of the third period when the penalties were issued. When the third-period tumult had died, Hooley Smith, Lionel Conacher and Red Horner joined Charlie Conacher in the penalty box with majors and ten-minute misconduct penalties, while Bob Davidson went in with a minor and misconduct, but every player on both teams was in the mixup.

RED HORNER

Charlie Conacher got his major for crashing Dave Trottier to the ice in what appeared an accidental bump as he came back to the Toronto zone while Andy Blair was checking the Maroon left winger. He had just got in the box when Hooley Smith and Red Horner started the fistic battle by swapping punches behind the net.

MAROONS IN LEAD

Penalties figured in most of the goals. Hap Day was in the box when Trottier banged in the first Maroon counter with the aid of Stew Evans and Earl Robinson. Robinson gave Russ Blinco a pass for the second counter near the end of the period, while Charlie Conacher was in the box serving the first of two penalties he drew in rapid succession.

Baldy Northcott went off with him on the first one, but Charlie was barely back on the ice when he was sent off again, and Northcott took Smith's pass in the last minute of the period to make it 3-0 for Maroons.

Northcott gave Smith a scoring pass midway through the second period while Horner was in the box, and Frank Finnigan matched that counter on a beautiful stick-handling solo effort about three minutes later.

Northcott soloed through for the final Maroon goal after eight minutes of the third period before the fireworks held up play. Buzz Boll scored the second Toronto goal in the last minute of the game after taking Bill Thoms' relay of Finnigan's pass.

The Maroons' victory cut Leafs' lead at the top of the league's Canadian Section to four points.

Line-Ups

Toronto	Position	Maroons
Hainsworth	Goal	Beveridge
Day	Defence	Wentworth
Clancy	Defence	Evans
Primeau	Centre	Smith
C. Conacher	Wing	Ward
H. Jackson	Wing	Northcott

Toronto Subs — Horner, Blair, Thoms, Boll, Finnigan, A. Jackson, Metz, Kelly, Davidson.

Maroon Subs — L. Conacher, Shields, Gracie, Cain, Marker, Blinco, Robinson, Trottier, Lamb.

Officials—Smith and Mitchell.

Summary

First Period—1, Maroons, Trottier (Evans, Robinson), 2:45; 2, Maroons, Blinco (Robinson), 18:35; 3, Maroons, Northcott (Smith), 19:31. Penalties: Day, Northcott (two), Clancy, C. Conacher (two).

Second Period—4, Maroons, Smith (Northcott), 9:49; 5, Toronto, Finnigan, 13:05. Penalties: Blair, Ward, Horner.

Third Period—6, Maroons, Northcott, 8:46; 7, Toronto, Boll (Thoms, Finnigan), 19:31. Penalties: C. Conacher (major), Horner (minor, major and misconduct), Smith (major and misconduct), L. Conacher (major and misconduct), Davidson (minor and misconduct), Blair, Ward.

Shots Stopped—

Hainsworth	10 6 3—19
Beveridge	8 6 5—19

AMERKS WHIP RANGERS

NEW YORK, Jan. 2 (AP). — New York Americans tonight downed their Madison Square Garden co-tenants, New York Rangers, 6-3, in a furious National League hockey game that left 14,000 patrons hoarse.

The Rangers scored first, Dillon snapping one in after less than five minutes of play, assisted by Patrick and Murdoch. The Americans came back to tie it up on a goal by Chapman three minutes later, but the Rangers took the lead again just three seconds before the period closed when Bun Cook scored after some clever pass work with brother Bill and Boucher.

Manager Red Dutton brought his team on even terms in the second period, combining with Wiseman and Schriner for the tally, but Bill Cook took a pass from Boucher to regain the lead for the Rangers. From then on the Americans dominated the show.

Oliver took a pass from Stewart to knot the count after 11:39 of the second frame. Then Chapman rifled one in a couple of minutes later. Jerwa added another and Schriner completed his evening's work by whipping in the disc after it had been passed to him by Chapman.

Line-Ups

Rangers	Position	Americans
Kerr	Goal	Worters
Seibert	Defence	Dutton
Johnson	Defence	Murray
Boucher	Centre	Chapman
Bill Cook	Wing	Carr
Bun Cook	Wing	Schriner

Rangers Subs — Dillon, Murdoch, Patrick, Keeling, Brydson, Connolly, Mason, Ayres, Starr, Heller.

Americans Subs — Stewart, Cotton, Oliver, Voss, Klein, Wiseman, Brydge, Jerwa, Emms.

Officials—Daigneault and Rodden.

Summary

First Period—1, Rangers, Dillon (Patrick, Murdoch), 4:33; 2, Americans, Chapman (Jerwa, Schriner), 7:23; 3, Rangers, Bun Cook (Bill Cook, Boucher), 19:57. Penalties: Ayres, Dutton, Murray, Brydges.

Second Period — 4, Americans, Dutton (Schriner, Wiseman), 7:45; 5, Rangers, Bill Cook (Boucher), 9:58; 6, Americans, Oliver (Stewart), 11:39; 7, Americans, Chapman (Carr, Schriner), 11:56. Penalties: Johnson, Murdoch, Jerwa, Seibert.

Third Period—8, Americans, Jerwa 2:20; 9, Americans, Schriner (Chapman), 11:17. Penalties: None.

HORTON SMITH WINS TOURNEY

Clever Shotmaker Captures $4,000 Open Meet in the South With 279

PASADENA, Cal., Jan. 2 (AP).—Horton Smith, ranking golf professional from Chicago, won the annual Pasadena $4,000 open tournament Tuesday with a card of 279 for 72 holes.

Tied for second place money, with 283's, were Harry Cooper, Chicago, and Harold McSpaden, unattached, winner of the 1934 meet here, with a score of 281.

Smith, winner of the Miami-Biltmore open two weeks ago, and the Palm Springs tournament last February, collected $1,000 for his victory. McSpaden and Cooper split $1,000—$600 for second place and $400 for third.

Eddie Loos, Hollywood, Cal., pro, was fourth, with 284, and Ky Laffoon, of Chicago, was a stroke back. Fourth place was worth $350 to Loos, and Laffoon won $300.

Jimmy McHale, Altadena, Cal., amateur, was low man among the Simon-pures, with 290.

Greenshirts and City Score Wins In Soccer Games

VICTORIA West and Victoria City chalked up victories in the New Year's Day First Division Football League fixtures, played at the Royal Athletic Park. The Greenshirts, trailing 2-0 as the teams reached the breather, came from behind to eke out a 3-2 victory over the Dockers. John Watt, with a pair, and Noel Morgan, with one tally, scored for the Wests. Ed De Costa, young brother of Louis De Costa, Esquimalt net custodian, and "Scotty" Stewart did the scoring for the Dockers. Goals by George Payne and Bob Pearce, both in the initial half, gave Victoria City a 2-0 victory over the Saanich Thistles in the second game of the twin bill.

Marylebone Wins Cricket Tussle

DUNEDIN, N.Z., Jan. 2 (AP).—Despite a fine second innings recovery by Otago, Marylebone Cricket Club touring team today won the match by an innings and 115 runs. The home players made 78 and 357 against the M.C.C.'s huge total of 550.

SOCCER LINE-UPS

Line-ups for tomorrow's McGavin Cup soccer semi-final between Victoria West and Victoria City, First Division elevens, follow:

Victoria West — Restall, Reside, Laird, Lorandini, Barnes, Thompson, Okell, Bell, Watt, Morgan, Brown and Lamble.

Victoria City — Rowe, Halkett, Gibbons, Smith, G. Robbins, Peers, Moore, Price, Pearce, J. Payne and G. Payne. Substitutes: C. Robbins, Roper and N. Moody.

SANTA ANITA RACING

First Race—Three furlongs:

Murph (A. Robertson)	$15.00	$3.80	$2.80
Tall Oak (R. Jones)		5.00	4.40
Ready Teddy (H. Richards)			3.80

Time, 34 seconds flat. Also ran: Sky Wind, Quo, Danke, Schon, Root, Coramine, Viewpoint, Prince Sador, Eistree, Bon Mint, Lady Lakeside.

Second Race—Six furlongs:

Hardatit (Eyer)	$10.80	$5.60	$4.00
Dirigible (Josephson)		6.00	4.20
Georgia Lily (Stewart)			7.00

Time, 1:12 2-5. Also ran: Happy Hunter, Sky Haven, Lislele, Happy Fellow, Sophist, Eisenberg, Dark Devil, Greenstone, Justa Hymn.

Third Race—Six furlongs:

B. Eighty (James)	$9.40	$5.20	$4.00
Speedy Return (Sperry)		6.40	5.00
Triloma (Wilber)			12.00

Time, 1:12 3-5. Also ran: Penrith, Charming Miss, Hattie Mae, Bonshot, Valina, Wee Santa, Jessie Cloud, Morclass, Kootenay Belle.

Fourth Race—Six furlongs:

Fancy Flight (Deering)	$13.80	$8.60	$4.00
Shining Jewel (Reeve)		6.20	4.60
Amy Cooper (Gunzel)			4.20

Time, 1:12 2-5. Also ran: Straitjacket, Prince Pharoah, Inchancery, Impeach, Hatsipast, Commoner Conard, Kieva, Harold H., Gallardin.

Fifth Race—Six furlongs:

Draft Serasant (Yager)	$1.80	$5.80	$3.40
Sundad (Deering)		8.00	4.20
Jocks Imase (R. Kins)			3.00

Time, 1:12. Also ran: Blaze Home, Continuity, Wise Ace, Nedvive, Supreme Maiden, Pretty Patricia, Von Eric.

Sixth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

Seguro (Thompson)	$10.40	$5.60	$4.00
American Emblem (Brammer)		9.40	4.80
Sandwrack (C. Thornton)			5.20

Time, 1:45. Also ran: Center Lane, Joe Flores, Church Call, Hokuso.

Seventh Race—One mile:

Toro Bang (Shultz)	$7.60	$4.40	$3.40
Hoosiers Pride (Mauro)		5.20	4.20
Sickle Bill (G. Burns)			3.60

Time, 1:39. Also ran: Droit, Running Heel, All Devil, Jamul, Charlie Jr., Rock Point, Bolinty, Ida S., Borsodi.

Eighth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Dauntless Miss (McCormick) $4.60 $3.60 $2.80; Lady Peenzie (Phillips) 14.00 6.20; Strange Times (Deering) 2.80.

Time, 1:45 4-5. Also ran: Precious Betty, Toro Blue, Changing Ways, Calirap, Texas Moon, Merry Freda, Tumble In, Jane Hastings, Easter Doll.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First Race—Three furlongs

Sky King	118
Golden Ivy	115
Dendiah	118
Speedhome	116
Splash Along	116
Glory Gap	115
Leeds	115
Red Tree	118
Bon Root	118
Mianon	115
Proud Indian	118
Honicon	115
Altobank	115
Bon Red	118

Second Race—Mile and one-sixteenth

Early Honor	103
Closing Time	106
Secured	111
Masked Belle	106
Lady Greenrock	105
Thistle Air	103

Third Race—Seven furlongs:

Miss Flip	106
Merely	113
My Boss	113
Maderis	111
Bubbling Maie	106
Bonasai	106
Polydorous	108
Bill Banr	111
Dark Mist	105
Erebus	111
Shady Girl	103
Melody Lane	106

Fourth Race—Six furlongs:

Bill the Kid	118
My Counsellor	120
English Girl	100
Pension	105
One Knot	100
Peter Saxon	118
Philarope	120
Sayernake	105
Jimmie Cabanias	105
Attaquechee	105
Tomlin	105
Gallerne	113

Fifth Race—Six furlongs:

Royal Command	106
Linden Tree	106
Erin Lad	112
Stavka	108
High Image	107
Carlsbrooke	101
Kent	110
Our Mae	102
Mannerisman	110

Sixth Race—Seven furlongs:

Proclivity	115
Marcleave	109
(A) Blue Train	115
Rotherham	109
Dusky Prince	115
(A) Budding Star	110
Caliban	112
Holl Image	109
Emigrante	104
Georgia Miss	104
Malmaison	115

(A) Whitney entry.

Seventh Race—Mile and one-eighth

Dutch Uncle	110
Ballyhoo	106
Winslow	111
Uncle Fred	107
Bolamola	110
Low Bridge	103
Seths Hope	106

Eighth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth

Surtees	111
Rego	106
Ozyzia	101
Chatterly	111
Campus Queen	101
Beadwork	108
Brother Lou	105
Delmonte	108
Only George	103
Post Prince	111
Charlie Chan	110
Trevallion	110

Ninth Race (substitute)—Seven furlongs:

Aunt Bruce	108
Helene Madison	103
Gold Clasp	113
Traitor	113
Civilian	106
Adam Somers	108
Penal	111
Tamalpias	106
Northern Water	116
Swift Return	108
Gerard	108

West Saanich to Battle Tillicum Tomorrow Night

TILLICUMS, men's senior "B" hoopsters, who upset the dope in their last appearance with an impressive victory over the Hoyle-Brown quintette, will battle the league-leading West Saanich Mercantile squad, Saturday evening, at the Victoria High School gymnasium. The teams will hook up in the preliminary to the Victoria Dominoes-Wheeler Osgood exhibition fixture on the weekly eard at the local gymnasium. With their play-off chances getting exceptionally slim, the clubmen will be out in full strength in an effort to turn back the West Saanich cagers. The game will start at 8 o'clock, with the Dominoes-Tacoma encounter scheduled to commence one hour later.

BOWLING

OLYMPIC ALLEYS

BAPCO MIXED FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Satin-Glos—Rita Rozer, 595; Mrs. Green, 288; Mary Wood, 408; Andy Stewart, 477; Jack Harness, 592. Total, 2,458.

Asphaltums—Miss M. Seymour, 421; G. Sidwell, 392; G. Leckie, 561; H. Williams, 613, low score, 386. Total, 2,533.

Asphaltums won two.

Shinaleens—Miss K. White, 493; Miss A. Warburton, 384; L. Tawler, 435; H. Pollard, 505; W. H. Lawson, 683. Total, 2,491.

Bapco 50's—Mrs. L. Whyte, 520; Miss Rutherford, 439; L. Sharp, 471; A. Delahay, 611; H. Ritchie, 553. Total, 2,594.

Bapco 50's won two.

Bapcolites—Miss A. Blair, 555; Miss V. Holt, 309; H. McIntyre, 536; R. Reid, 517; G. Leeming, 601. Total, 2,508.

Prudentials—Miss T. Ostler, 575; Miss M. Kinley, 422; M. Harman, 397; M. Doyle, 521; T. Brown, 626. Total, 2,541.

Prudentials won two.

Porcelites — Miss Oliphant, 341; Mrs. Armstrong, 606; A. Balcom, 564; J. Lorimer, 563; R. Shaw, 569. Total, 2,613.

Ironites—D. Vye, 521; A. Wood, 508; W. Lindley, 531; R. Weicker, 517; E. Lindley, 533. Total, 2,630.

Ironites won two.

ARCADE ALLEYS

INTER-SERVICE FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Britannia—R. Millburn, 525; J. Watt, 518; J. Neary, 472; D. Hurdle, 617; low score, 365. Total, 2,497.

Pro Patria—R. Lea, 658; H. Wilkinson, 502; P. Phillips, 386; W. Morry, 539; C. Tickle, 540. Total, 2,615.

Naval Veterans—D. Clarke, 582; W. McRae, 472; L. Buckle, 469; A. Benn, 451; C. Chislett, 607. Total, 2,981.

Naval Veterans won two.

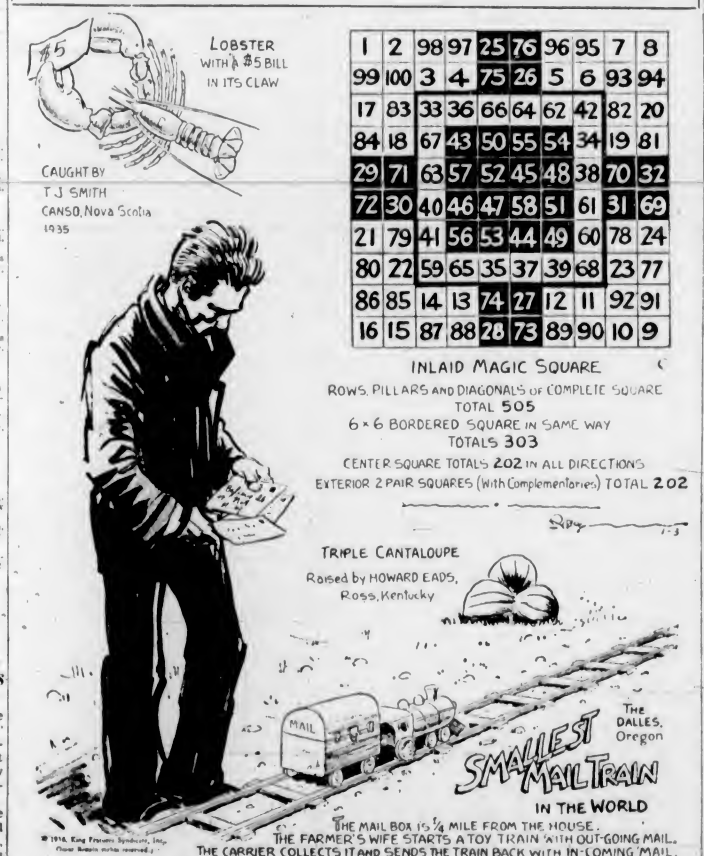
Stevenson Tops Wright to Take Jockey Honors

BOISE, Jan. 2 (AP).—He said he "didn't know much about horses" and had ridden "only a little" before he began riding winners, but Charles Stevenson, of Boise, today was ranked as the nation's outstanding jockey.

With less than a year's experience of big time riding, Stevenson nosed out his veteran fellow Idahoan, Wayne Wright, of Rexburg, who has been booting home winners for four years. Stevenson has a total of 216 winning races to his credit this year, while Wright's total is 192.

Stevenson's sudden rise from obscurity to fame places him alongside Idaho's "greats" in the world of horse racing. And the "greats" include such famous names as Earl Sande, Ivan Parke, Laverne Fator and Young Humphries.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT - - - - - - - *By Ripley*



1	2	98	97	25	76	96	95	7	8
99	100	3	4	75	26	5	6	93	94
17	83	33	36	66	64	62	42	82	20
84	18	67	43	50	55	54	34	19	81
29	71	63	57	52	45	48	38	70	32
72	30	40	46	47	58	51	61	31	69
21	79	41	56	53	44	49	60	78	24
80	22	59	65	35	37	39	68	23	77
86	85	14	13	74	27	12	11	92	91
16	15	87	88	28	73	89	90	10	9

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EXPLANATION FOR WEDNESDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

Armless Life Saver—When only seven years old, Lupe Zarate, of McAllen, Texas, fell beneath a train and both his arms were severed at the shoulders. Despite his great handicap, Lupe has outshone his more fortunate fellowmen in swimming, wrestling and football. Three times while swimming in the great irrigation canal near his home, Lupe has saved as many of his pals by grabbing their bathing suits with his teeth and pulling them to shore. But the most outstanding of his rescues was in West Springfield, Mass., in July, 1934. He was with a crowd of swimmers near the Agawam River when he heard a cry for help. Plunging in the water, he quickly reached the drowning youth, who grabbed Lupe in a choke hold and pulled both of them down. Then Lupe broke away and as they came to the surface, he was able to get the exhausted boy across his shoulders and bring him ashore.

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SPORT SNAPSHOTS

Laffoon—Among star golfers prospecting for gold on southern fairways is Ky Laffoon, pictured blasting at Miami.

Winners—Ky Laffoon (left), Horton Smith and Ted Turner (right), are top money winners in Miami-Biltmore open.

Gladiators—Locked in combat are Sandor Szabo (top) and Ernie Dusek. They have the same hold on each other.

Ladies of the Sword—Co-eds of Rollins College, in Winter Park, Fla., take up cutlery—and not to peel potatoes!

Hockey Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Canadian Division

	W	L	D	F	A	P
Toronto	10	6	2	57	44	22
Maroons	8	6	2	38	35	18
Americans	8	9	2	43	45	18
Canadiens	4	10	4	29	41	12

American Division

	W	L	D	F	A	P
Detroit	8	5	6	38	34	22
Rangers	9	8	4	42	47	22
Chicago	9	7	3	32	30	20
Boston	7	10	2	29	39	16

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

	W	L	D	F	A	P
Vancouver	9	5	3	64	46	32
Portland	8	3	4	23	22	31
Calgary	6	6	4	45	54	16
Seattle	6	8	1	31	45	13
Edmonton	6	9	4	32	43	12

WRESTLER PASSES

JOHNSON CITY, Tenn., Jan. 2 (AP).—Jack Ray, forty, a professional wrestler, died in a hospital here yesterday of spinal injuries said to have been received in a match with another grappler, Dick Powell, here several weeks ago.

Ray served as a soldier in the Canadian Corps during the Great War and wrestled under the name of "Cowboy Russell."

Darlington Scores Win

DARLINGTON, England, Jan. 2 (AP).—Darlington defeated York City 3-0 in an English League, Northern Section game played here today.

ABERDEEN HELD TO DRAW BY DUNFERMLINE SQUAD

Leaders Only Two Points Ahead of Glasgow Rangers

Pace-Setters Show Signs of Weakening in Race for First Division—Rangers Win From Partick Thistle, 3-1—Celtic Slips to Third Position—Aston Villa Beats Sunderland

GLASGOW, Jan. 2 (AP).—Held to drawn games since Celtic defeated them on December 21, the Dons of Aberdeen, leaders of the Scottish Football League, show signs of weakening in the face of strong pressure by their nearest rivals.

At Pittodrie Park today they were held to a 3-3 draw by Dunfermline Athletic and their long lead has been whittled down to a scant two points over Glasgow Rangers, who moved into the runner-up position by defeating Partick Thistle, 3-1, while Celtic was idle. All First Division teams on Saturday will have played four games in eight days and a reshuffling of the leaders is not unlikely.

Aberdeen will have to play smartly against the revivified Hibernians at Edinburgh in order to hold the lead.

The champion Rangers did not extend themselves at Ibrox Park and should be able to account for Dundee at the week-end. Smith scored two goals and McPhail the other, Wyllie notching Thistle's point.

The Celtic-Queen's Park fixture was scratched to allow the Hampden Park amateurs to play Corinthians, famous English amateur side, in an exhibition game.

CELTIC NOW THIRD

Two games in arrears, the Celts are now three points behind the league-leading Dons. Celtic plays St. Johnstone at Parkhead on January 4.

Robson, Brentford forward transferred to Hearts this week, played a big part in his new club's 3-0 victory over Dundee, even though he failed to score. Munro, Murray and Anderson obtained the Edinburgh side's counters.

At Dumfries, where Arbroath staged a late rally but lost, 3-2, to Queen of the South, Tulip, two, and Burns were the home team's marksmen, Flucker and Cargill netting for Arbroath.

Hibernians managed a 2-2 draw at Perth. Smith and Brady netted for the visitors and Nicholson and McCall for St. Johnstone. Ayr United appear to be almost certain of demotion at the end of the season. Robertson scored five times for Kilmarnock and Williamson and Beattie added two more. Fleming collected Ayr's brace.

Bremner and Stewart were responsible for the two goals that gave Motherwell victory over Albion Rovers. All the scoring in the Hamilton-Airdrie game was in the second half, Lowe, Reid and Harrison tallying for the Accies and McCaffery for Airdrieonians.

ENGLISH LEAGUE

LONDON, Jan. 2 (AP).—An experiment adopted by Aston Villa at Sunderland on New Year's Day in its fight to get out of the cellar in the First Division of the English Football League was so successful that it is likely to be tried again Saturday when the Villans entertain Portsmouth at Villa Park.

Inflicting the first defeat of the season on Sunderland at Roker Park, the Villans played Alex Massie, Scottish international right halfback, at inside right and the entire vanguard played with a spirit that has been lacking in recent weeks. Its display was regarded as a vindication of the management's enterprise.

Undeterred by the reverse, Sunderland will field an unchanged team at Main Road, where Manchester City provide the opposition. Middlesbrough has a fine chance to move up in the table against Preston North End.

Brentford, who yesterday lost 1-0 at Blackburn, is up against a tough proposition at Huddersfield at the week-end. The Bees are hardly likely to win. Chelsea has been hard hit by injuries and the team to oppose Grimsby Town has not been decided on.

FACES ROVERS

In the Second Division, Charlton Athletic, tied with Leicester City on top, play Doncaster Rovers, who share second place with Sheffield United. Leicester makes the long journey to Southampton and the United is host to Bradford, conqueror of Leicester on New Year's Day.

In the Southern Section, Third Division, Luton Town is setting the pace and should be able to win over Southend at the Kursaal. Coventry City, the runner-up, is away to Newport County. Walsall, before its own supporters, will put up a great battle against the leading Rovers of Tranmere in the Northern Section.

NEW YEAR'S RESULTS

Results of games played in the Old Country on New Year's Day follow:

ENGLISH LEAGUE
First Division

Blackburn Rovers 1, Brentford 0.
Bolton Wanderers 4, Portsmouth 0.
Manchester City 0, Grimsby Town 3.
Middlesbrough 3, West Bromwich Albion 1.
Sunderland 1, Aston Villa 3.

Second Division

Barnsley 0, Manchester United 3.
Bury 0, Southampton 0.
Newcastle United 5, Plymouth Argyle 0.
Sheffield United 3, Doncaster Rovers 0.
Bradford 3, Leicester City 1.

Third Division — Northern Section

Carlisle United 1, Rotherham United 1.
Chesterfield 2, Rochdale 2.
Darlington 5, Gateshead 2.
Hartlepools United 1, Wrexham 1.
New Brighton 0, Lincoln City 5.
Southport 1, Crewe Alexandra 1.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE
First Division

Airdrieonians 1, Albion Rovers 2.
Arbroath 0, Kilmarnock 0.
Ayr United 1, Queen of South 3.
Celtic 3, Rangers 4.
Dundee 2, Aberdeen 2.
Dunfermline 2, St. Johnstone 6.
Hibernians 1, Hearts 1.
Motherwell 2, Hamilton Academicals 1.
Partick Thistle-Clyde (played December 31).
Queens Park 1, Third Lanark 0.

Second Division

Alloa 2, Leith Athletic 1.
Brechin City 1, Montrose 2.
Dumbarton 3, Cowdenbeath 3.
Falkirk 5, Stenhousmuir 1.
Kings Park 0, East Stirling 1.
Morton 4, Dundee United 1.
Raith Rovers 1, East Fife 2.
St. Bernards 2, Edinburgh City 0.
St. Mirren 6, Forfar Athletic 0.

ENGLISH RUGBY LEAGUE

Acton and Willesden - Hunslet (postponed; ground unfit).
Barrow 3, Broughton Rangers 7.
Bradford Northern 8, Leeds 9.
Halifax 15, Keighley 7.
Leigh 7, Streatham and Mitcham 4.
Liverpool Stanley 5, Widnes 5.
Oldham 8, Wakefield Trinity 3.
Rochdale Hornets 5, Warrington 16.
St. Helens 5, St. Helens Recs. 3.
Swinton 5, Salford 10.
Wigan 20, Hull 3.
Dewsbury 9, Batley 7.

ENGLISH RUGBY UNION

Birkenhead Park 3, Waterloo 0.
Bridgend 3, Llanelly 8.

Dan Cupid Scores Again

"It was a case of Dan Cupid handling the putter and besting my handicap," said Lawson Little, Jr., holder of the American and British amateur golf championships, when he arrived at San Francisco recently with his fiancee, Miss Dorothy Hurd, of Chicago. They will be married in February. Yes, they met on the golf links.

DON BRADMAN BATS OUT 357

Makes Second Highest Total Of Career in Sheffield Shield Match

MELBOURNE, Australia, Jan. 2 (AP).—Don Bradman, Australia's top-notch batsman, compiled 357 runs, the second highest score of his career in first-class cricket, for South Australia in a Sheffield Shield match today against Victoria. His team's total was 569 and against this the home team had made 124 for three wickets when play closed for the day.

At the wickets for seven hours, Bradman made 160 of his runs from boundary strokes. Holder of the highest individual score ever made, 452 against Queensland at Sydney in 1930, the South Australian hit up 233 against Queensland on Christmas day.

In another Sheffield Shield match started on Christmas day at Sydney, Queensland today made 330 runs for eight wickets in response to New South Wales' total of 366.

HOCKEY RESULTS

Last night's hockey scores follow:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Montreal Maroons 5, Toronto 2.
New York Americans 6, New York Rangers 3.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

New Haven 3, Boston Cubs 2.
Detroit 4, Pittsburgh 3.
Syracuse 4, Rochester 0.

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

Seattle 6, Edmonton 2.

Ice President Dies

WINDSOR, Ont., Jan. 2 (AP).—Out of respect of Harris Ardiel, tonight's International Hockey League game between Windsor Bulldogs and Cleveland Falcons here, has been postponed indefinitely, A. L. Malcolm, manager of the arena here announced today.

Mr. Ardiel, president of the Windsor Club, died of pneumonia last night.

STANFORD IN VICTORY OVER S. METHODIST

Captures Rose Bowl Classic Before 85,000 Spectators By 7-0 Score

By PAUL ZIMMERMAN
Associated Press Sports Writer

PASADENA, Cal., Jan. 2 (AP).—Stanford led the West a long way out of the football wilderness today.

In a game the Pacific Coast hoped would herald the return to high intersectional ranking in 1936, Coach Claude "Tiny" Thornhill's eleven came back yesterday in the Rose Bowl to halter the hitherto untamed Mustangs of Southern Methodist, 7 to 0.

The big red team came back after two distressing defeats in the last two years of Rose tournament play to vindicate itself.

One determined thrust late in the first period turned the trick, but in the long run a valuable lesson on pass defence learned at a costly price on the Rose Bowl sod a year ago made the lone touchdown stand up.

For it was the fierce rushing of the pass-throwers of Coach Matty Bell's famed aerial circus that figured so largely in the upset which surprised a heavy share of the 85,000 persons who crammed into historic Rose Bowl.

Fittingly enough, it was a pass that paved the way for Stanford's touchdown. It was a twenty-two-yard throw, Bill Paulman to stocky Jimmy Coffis, that put the ball in scoring territory, and the Indians took full advantage.

From the nineteen-yard line, where Coffis was tackled as he grabbed the throw, Bobby Grayson and Bobby Hamilton packed the pigskin to the two-yard stripe and Paulman slid off tackle to score. James "Monk" Moscrip promptly and accurately kicked goal.

While Stanford never could quite muster up the strength to cross the Mustangs' goal thenceforth, the Indians quite effectively prevented the champions of the Southwest from doing much about the situation either.

Obviously the great aerial display of Alabama here a year ago was still rankling in the hearts of the Indians, for they viciously rushed the pitching artists of S.M.U. continuously and permitted only a few of the throws to be completed when they might do the most harm.

MADE BIG GAIN

The one lapse came in the second period and Southern Methodist took full advantage of it. Starting on their own twenty-five, Coach Bell's players, led by the brilliant Bobby Wilson, drove seventy-five yards, only to be disappointed.

The crowning feat of this parade was a forward double lateral pass play that ate up thirty-four of these yards and almost became a touchdown play. Wilson, playing up to his all-American name, flipped a ten-yard forward pass to Harry Shuford.

As the Stanford secondary closed in on Shuford he tossed a lateral to Maco Stewart. The end in turn relayed the ball to Bob Finley, who finally was pulled down on the five-yard line. On the next play a fumble gave the ball to Stanford.

PLAY TO DRAW

GLASGOW, Jan. 2 (AP).—Queen's Park and Corinthians, leading Scottish and English amateur soccer teams, clashed in an exhibition match at Hampden Park today, the Corinthians winning, 2-1.

SOCCER STANDINGS

	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
*Victoria United	4	1	1	14	9	9
New Westminster	3	2	2	15	16	8
North Shore	2	2	2	17	13	6
Van. Rangers	2	3	2	15	20	6
St. Saviours	1	3	4	14	20	6
Nanaimo	2	3	1	13	10	5

*Awarded two points by default from New Westminster.

New Year's Day game at Vancouver: Vancouver Rangers 4, St. Saviours 4.

HOCKEY SIDELIGHTS

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By RAY COLLETT

Twice Paul Haynes, sleek-haired centre of Montreal Canadiens, tried out his mettle with Montreal Maroons in the N.H.L. before he was able to break from the minor league net. In 1931 the dark-red team gave him a trial, but in the Quebec metropolis he was able to score no goals and only one assist. His point total was one. That sent him back to Windsor Bulldogs. Again next season the major league called him up and again he couldn't prove his worth, but back with the Bulldogs was able to run up a total of twenty-five points.

It gave Haynes the needed start. In 1933 Maroons benefitted by sixteen counters and twenty-five handouts from the Haynes camp and he stayed the entire season. He's been a major leaguer ever since. Now, after a short residence in Boston, he's back in Montreal, but this time it's the brilliant-shirted Flying Frenchmen who pay his salary.

One thing about Haynes, he'll give them full time for his money unless he has a change of nature, for he is an exceptionally clean player and in his best Maroon year spent only eighteen minutes with the penalty timers. That despite his grim appearance. Mantha's Canadiens will find more use for him on the ice than in the bad boys' box, anyway.

TODAY'S HOCKEY STICKLER

Do you know what New York Ranger forward is a racehorse owner of note? If not look up the next Hockey Sidelight.

Olympic Bobsled Course

Experts say this Olympic bobsled track, built at Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany, for the coming Winter games, will be one of the most thrilling in the world. Its icy curves, steeply banked and sharply reversed, will test the skill of the world's best bobbers. A sled team is seen negotiating the difficult "S" turn in a training event.

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Soccer Activities

Sunday School Football League fixtures billed for tomorrow follow:

Metropolitan vs. Centennial, Central Park, upper ground; referee, J. Woodley.

Lake Hill vs. Emmanuel, Central Park, lower ground; referee, Fisher. Kick-offs at 1:30 o'clock.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Stock and Bond Prices Gain at New York Mart

NEW YORK, Jan. 2 (AP).—Steels, rubbers, specialties and a few industrials jarred an irregular market off centre for a slightly higher average close today.

Measured by the Associated Press average of sixty stocks the market rose .1 of a point to 55.7. Transactions totaled 2,250,100 shares, compared with 2,441,335 on Tuesday.

Brokers said the irregularity of price swings throughout the session was the result of mixed sentiment in the financial community.

On the one hand, hopes of continued recovery stimulated bidding. On the other, some observers believed, the imminence of uncharted legislation served to bring profit-taking waves.

Commission house observers said the first session of the new year was marked by scattered so-called long-term investment buying. American Telephone was up 3 1-4 to 158 3-4.

Domestic corporation bonds advanced. In the railroad division advances of 1 to 2 points were in a big majority, and there were notable firm spots in the industrials.

Foreign bonds were helped by further advances of 1 to 2 points in the Italian group.

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Air Reduction	191	168 4	171
Allied Chemicals	193 4	158	159
Allis Chalmers	36 5	36 2	36 5
American Can	134		124
American For Power	7 4	7	7 2
American Locomotive	26	28	28
American Radiator	25 4	24 7	25 4
American Rolling Mills	31 6	30 7	31 3
American Smelter	60 1	58 4	59 2
American Sugar	54	53 6	54
American Tel	159	155 6	158 6
American Tobacco	100	99 5	100
American Water works	22 6	22	22 3
Anaconda Copper	29 4	29 1	29 4
Atchison Railway	60 3	59	60
Atlantic Refining	27 7	27 1	27 5
Auburn	43 7	41 6	42 2
B. & O. Railway	16 7	16 4	16 7
Bethlehem Steel	53 5	51 2	52 4
Borden	26 2	25 5	26
Borg Warner	70 6	69 2	70 6
Briggs	53	52 4	52
Cal. Pack	34	33 5	34
C. P. R.	11 7	11 1	11 5
Case (J. I.)	97 4	97	97
Caterpillar Trac	58 4	58	58 4
Celanese Corp	29 5	29	29 1
Cerro de Pasco	54 6	54	54
C. & O. Railway	51 3	51	51 2
Chrysler	92 1	90 4	90 4
Columbia Gas	14 2	14	14 2
Commercial Solvents	22 2	21 4	21 4
Con. Oil	31 3	30 7	31
Cont. Oil	35 1	34 2	34 4
Deere & Co.	54 4	53 4	54 4
Dome	41 8		41 8
Douglas Aircraft	57 5	54 5	55 7
Dupont	140	138 2	139 4
Eastman Kodak	158	156 4	158
El Auto Lite	39 2	36 5	38 2
Freeport Texas	30 2	29 4	29 6
General Food	34 2	33 7	34
Gen. Electric	38 2	38	38 1
General Motors	56 7	55 3	55 6
Goodyear	24 5	23 3	24 2
Great West Sugar	31 7	31 3	31 7
Great Northern	34 1	33 4	33 4
Harvester	82 3	81 3	82 2
Howe Sound	54 1	52 3	54 1
Hudson	16 3	16 1	16 1
Hupmobile Motors	1 4	1	1 4
Ind. Rayon	30 5	30	30 5
Int. Nickel	45 4	45	45 1
Int. Tel	13 5	13	13 4
Johns-Manville	95		95
Kennecott Copper	29 1	28 3	29
Kresge	25 2	25	25 2
L. & M. Tobacco	111 4	110 4	110 4
Liquid Carbonic	39 1	37 5	38 6
Loew's	52 4	52 1	52 4
Lorillard	24 3	24 2	24 3
Mack Truck	31 4	30	30
Matheson Alkali	30		30
May Stores	52 4		52 4
McIntyre	40 6	40	40 5
Mex. Sea Oil	36	35 4	36
Montgomery Ward	39 2	38 7	39 1
Nash	18 3	17 5	17 7
National Biscuit	33 7	33 4	33 7
Nat. Dairy	22 2	22	22
National Distillers	30 6	30 2	30 2
National Power & Lite	28 1	27 7	28
New York Central	26 5	26 4	28 6
North America	27 1	26 4	28 6
Northern Pacific	24 6	24 4	24 4
Ohio Oil	14 2	14	14 1
Packard	7	6 7	6 7
Patino	13 2	13 1	13 2
J. C. Penny	79	78	79
Penn. Railway	31 5	31 2	31 2
People's Gas	42 7	40 5	42 7
Pullman	37 1	27	37 1
Radio	12 7	12 2	12 5
Rem Rand	20 2	20	20 2
Republic Iron Steel	20	19 2	19 6
Reynolds Tob	55 6	55 2	55 4
Safeway Stores	33 1	33	33 2
Schenley	51 2	50 2	50 2
Sears Roebuck	65 4	65 2	65 2
Shell	18 2	18 1	18 2
South Cal. Edison	25 5	25 1	25 3
South Porto Rico	27 2	26 5	27
South Pacific	24 1	23 6	24 1
Standard Brands	15 6	15 4	15 5
Standard Gas	6 2	6 1	6 2
Standard Oil, Calif	40 6	40 1	40 4
Standard Oil, N. J.	52 6	51 6	51 6
Socony Vacuum	14 4	14	14 4
Studebaker	9 7	9 5	9 6
Texas Corp	30 1	29 5	29 7
Texas Gulf	33 7	33	33 7
Timken	67 2	66 2	67
Trans-America	14	13 7	14
United Gas & Imp	17 6	17 5	17 5
Union Carbide	72 4	72	72
Union Oil, Cal.	24 1	23 6	24 1
Union Pacific	111	109 1	111
United Airways	30 2	28 2	28 6
United Fruit	67 2	66 6	67
U.S. Alcohol	43 7		43 7
U.S. Pipe & Foundry	24	22 6	23 4
U.S. Rubber	17 6	16 4	17 4
U.S. Steel	49 7	48 1	49 3
U.S. Smelting	96 6	94 3	96 6
Vanadium	22 2	20 3	21 7
Warner Bros	10	9 7	10
Westinghouse	97 5	96 4	96 7
Western Union	75 4	74	74 4
Woolworth	55 7	55	55

TORONTO GOLDS MOVE UPWARD

Silvers and Base Metals Move Irregularly in Heavy Trading

TORONTO, Jan. 2 (CP).—An auspicious opening for the new year was given the mining market of the Toronto Exchange today by expansion of trading to better than 1,000,000 shares, and an upward slant in prices.

Pickle Crow gained 10 cents to 4.30. Other heavy traders of the group were McKenzie, Central Patricia and God's Lake, all up 3 to 6 cents each, while Sylvanite gained 5. Pamour 5 to 3.75 and Macassa 3 to 3.33. Bralorne and McIntyre recorded narrow gains.

Ventures lost 2 cents, Sudbury Basin 15, Falconbridge 15 and Sherritt and Base Metals Corporation 2 to 3 cents each. Hudson Bay advanced 1 5-8 to 23 1-8, and Noranda 3-4 to 45 1-4.

With exception of a gain of 5 for Eldorado, and 10 cents for Bear, Silver stocks were barely firm.

(Mark, Baie & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Acme	14	14½
Ajax	.06	.07
Bagamac	.07	.07½
Base Metals	.37	.40
Bear Exploration	.48	.50
Beaulieu	1.47	1.48
Big Missouri	.79	.77½
Bobjo	.19	.20
Bralorne	5.80	5.70
B.D.K.	.07	.08
Buffalo Ankerite	3.65	3.90
C. & E. Corpn.	.75	
Canadian Malartic	1.14	1.18
Cariboo	1.15	1.18
Castle Trethaway	1.24	1.25
Central Patricia	2.50	2.90
Chemical Research	.85	.90
Chibougamau	.30	.30
Coast Copper	3.75	4.25
Coniaurum	1.85	1.97
Dome	41.60	42.37
Eldorado	1.24	1.25
Falconbridge	7.00	7.20
Gabrielle	.53	.54
God's Lake	1.32	1.34
Granada	.21	.23
Greene Stabell	.27	.28
Gunnar	.79	.81
Hollinger	13.90	14.00
Home Oil	.74	
Howey	.64	.63
Hudson Bay	23.25	23.50
Jackson Manion	.33	.34
Kirkland Lake	.49	.50
Lakeshore	52.00	53.25
Little Long Lac	8.45	8.50
Macassa	3.33	3.35
Maple Leaf	.07	.08
McIntyre	40.75	41.75
McKenzie Red Lake	1.44	1.45
McVittie Graham	.21	.21½
McWatters	1.18	1.60
Mining Corpn	1.70	1.75
Morris Kirkland	.60	.61
Noil Nickel		45.37½
Nipissing	2.48	2.48
Noranda	44.30	45.00
Parkhill	.19	.20
Playmaster	.52	.53
Pend Oreille	1.07	1.09
Perron Gold	1.20	1.21
Pickle Crow	4.25	4.30
Pioneer	9.55	9.85
Premier	1.83	1.85
Reid Aulnier	1.45	1.48
Reno	1.00	1.03
Rexallo	20.25	20.00
San Antonio	2.05	2.10
Sherritt-Gordon	1.10	1.11½
Sisco	2.94	2.95
St. Anthony	.31	31½
Stadacona	19½	20
Sudbury Basin	2.30	3.40
Sylvanite	2.50	2.55
Teck-Hughes	4.90	4.95
Toburn	1.26	1.30
Ventures	1.75	
Wasnige	18½	17½
Wright-Hargreaves	7.70	7.90
Bankfield	.35	.27

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	141½	142
Brazilian T. L. & P.	10½	10½
B.A. Oil	18½	
B.C. Power "A"	28	
Canada Cement	6	6½
Canada Cement, Pfd.	57½	58
Canadian Pacific	11½	11½
Con. Mining & Smelting	204	205
Ford "A"	26½	26½
Gypsum Lime & Alab.	6½	7
Imperial Oil	20½	20½
Imperial Tobacco	13½	14
Intl. Nickel	45½	45½
Intl. Petroleum	34½	34½
McColl-Frontenac	12½	12½
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd.	98½	98½
Montreal Power, Com.	32	32½
Shawinigan W. & P.	19½	20
Bralorne	5.50	5.60
Dome	42	42½
Lakeshore	52½	
Noranda	45	49
Pioneer Gold	9.50	9.65
Premier	1.82	1.85
Sherritt-Gordon	1.10	1.12
Sudbury Basin	2.20	2.40
Teck-Hughes	4.90	
Ventures	1.75	
Wright-Hargreaves	7.80	7.90
Bank of Montreal	200	209
Royal Bank	184½	185

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

		Bid	Asked
Dom of Can	1927 5½	107.25	108.125
"	1937 5	105.50	106.375
"	1952 5	102.625	103.50
"	1953 4	105.50	106.375
"	1958 4	109.00	109.875
"	1959 4	110.625	111.625
"	1962 4	101.25	102.25
"	1943 5	111.625	112.625
"	1944 4½	109.75	110.75
"	1951 4½	105.875	106.875
"	1945 4	109.625	110.50
"	1949 2½	102.625	103.50
"	1953 4	105.125	106.00
"	1955 4	107.625	108.375
"	1957 4½	107.75	108.50
"	1958 4	107.875	108.625
"	1959 4	106.00	106.875
"	1955 3	98.25	99.00
"	1961 4	111.00	112.25
"	1936 4½	110.25	111.75
"	1937 4	109.25	110.50
"	1965 4½	112.75	114.25
"	1969 5	114.25	115.75
"	1970 5½	113.00	114.50
"	1934 5	113.25	114.75
"	1936 3	98.25	99.75
"	1944 2½	101.50	103.00
C.N.R.	1935 4½	107.25	108.75
"	1936 4½	107.75	109.25
"	1937 4½	108.25	109.75
"	1938 4½	108.75	110.25
"	1939 4½	109.25	110.75
"	1946 4½	109.75	111.25
"	1951 4½	110.25	111.75
"	1956 4½	110.75	112.25
"	1960 4½	111.25	112.75
"	1962 4½	111.75	113.25
"	1930 5½	112.25	113.75
"	1934 5½	112.75	114.25
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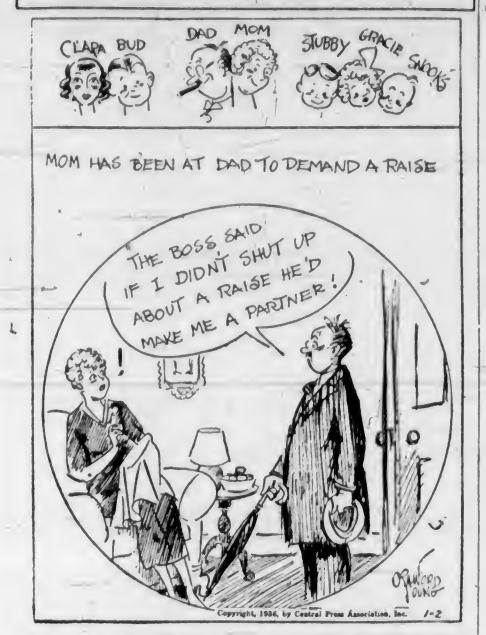
"	1937 5½

THE TUTTS . . . By Crawford Young



SAFETY FIRST By GLUYAS WILLIAMS

There is an entertaining glimpse of stable life in a story about Ladas, the night before he won the Derby. "Detectives prowled around, one sat outside the horse's box, and by him sat the head lad, Felix Leach. The detective nodded, drowsed, he fell asleep. On cat-like tread in the course of his rounds came the Durdans' night watchman, a small clay pipe thrust into the corner of his mouth. The head lad winked as the guardian of the night turned his lantern on him, and with jerking thumb indicated the dormant guardian of the law. Silently, the watchman removed his pipe and thrust the sleeping detective's nose into the glowing bowl, and he who had fallen asleep at his post never said a word."

Jane Dixon Says:

A YOUNG MAN OF STERLING QUALITIES CANNOT BUT HAVE PROFOUND ADMIRATION FOR THE GIRL HE LOVES IF SHE IS WILLING TO WORK AND SACRIFICE FOR THEIR HAPPINESS

Girls who complain because the young man they profess to love does not catch them up and whisk them off to the preacher regardless of empty pockets should hang their heads when they hear what a valiant girl has to say.

Dear Jane Dixon: I've been going with a young man almost three years. He is now twenty-one, having graduated three years ago from high school. He is working, making $24 a week. Here is my problem:

Although I love him and am confident he loves me, I feel he should have saved some money so that he could go on to college, as he wanted to do, or at least put by something for the future.

I feel we all need a higher education to get on successfully these days.

It has been my ambition to marry a man who had something high in life toward which he could aim.

WANTS TO HELP HIM

I'm twenty and have just started in a school of nursing. I'm so anxious for this young man to enter night school, and even though it may take five or six years for him to finish, we'll know that some day we will be able to live comfortably together as we would like to do. I'd be only too happy to study three years as a student nurse, then go to work at my profession in order to assist him financially in whatever he will undertake.

I don't know how to go about suggesting it to him. I know that I cannot be happy unless and until he does do something to improve himself and his position.

Mother wants me to forget him, but I do love him and want to give him a fair chance.

What do you suggest?—Pat.

Answer: I suggest, my dear Pat, that you have a very kindly but plain talk with the young man. Tell him of your aspirations for yourself, for him and for your home.

Ask him if, while you are studying for your profession, he would not like to strive for one too, or prepare himself for any work that may be open, no matter what its elevation.

SUGGESTS FRIENDLY COMPETITION

Put it up to him as a game between the two of you—see which one can go forward the fastest and the farthest. See which one can do the most to help the other attain the fixed goal.

Let him know, however, that you are ambitious for him because you love him.

If he fails to understand your effort or is offended by your desire to march on and have him march with you, take the advice of your mother and forget him.

There is very little chance that the two of you would be happy together under the present circumstances because your impulse and desire take an upward curve while his run along the line of least resistance.

You probably would lose all pride in him, if not respect for him.

Without pride and respect, love is bound to die a lingering, but a certain, death.

A BLESSED PRIVILEGE

A young man of sterling qualities cannot but have profound admiration for the girl he loves when she is willing to work and to sacrifice in order to take happiness insurance on the future.

He knows, or he should know, that a sacrifice for one we love, when that one shows appreciation of our selflessness, is a blessed privilege. And that the one who inspires such a love is twice blessed.

You should remember, however, that the young man may not be the student type. He may like the work he is doing.

So long as he strives to improve his work and to advance in it, you should not insist on imposing your will on him, but should encourage him in it.

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2 DEATHS

WIGLEY—At Victoria, B.C., on January 2, Miss Mary Ann Wigley, born in Brampton, Ontario, and a resident of Victoria for about thirty-eight years. The funeral will be held on Saturday, January 4, 1936, the cortege leaving the family residence at 2.15 p.m., proceeding to St. John's Church, where service will be conducted by Rev. Canon F. A. P. Chadwick at 2.30. Interment in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. (No flowers, by request.) Arrangements in hands of Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co., Ltd.

DAWKINS—There passed away in Toronto, after a long illness, Mrs. Pauline Dawkins, widow of the late Mr. J. B. Dawkins. Mrs. Dawkins was a former resident of Victoria, having left this city to make her home in Toronto four years ago. Born in England, the deceased was eighty-two years of age. Funeral services will be conducted in Toronto. The remains, following cremation, will be forwarded to Victoria for interment in the family plot. Funeral arrangements are in charge of Sands Mortuary, Ltd.

SHINOLES—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Wednesday, January 1, Thomas Shinoles, aged seventy-nine years, of 549 Kelvin Road. The late Mr. Shinoles was born in London and had been a resident of this city for the past twenty-eight years, and is mourned by one son, Herbert, with whom he resided, and three grandchildren. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, at 2.15 o'clock. Major Robert Fullerton will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

MESHER—There passed away in the St. Joseph's Hospital on Thursday, January 2, 1936, Belinda Mesher, aged sixty-six years; late residence, 905 Ellery Street. The deceased was born in Labrador and came to Victoria to reside in 1920. She is survived by one son, Mr. Albert Edward Mesher, of Victoria; two sisters and two brothers in Labrador; one sister in Niagara Falls, N.Y.; also four grandchildren of this city. Funeral services will be conducted on Saturday, January 4, 1936, at 2.30 o'clock, in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd. Rev. J. A. Hughes will officiate and the remains will be laid at rest in the Ross Bay Cemetery.

MARTIN—On Tuesday, December 31, at Tranquille, Margaret Martin, aged thirty years, wife of Frederick Martin, of 1939 Brighton Street. The late Mrs. Martin was born in England and had resided here for fifteen years. She is survived by her husband; one son, Freddie; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Burnett, of this city, and one sister and two brothers. The remains arrived on Thursday's boat and were removed to McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, from where the funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, Rev. James Hyde will conduct the service, after which interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

RAY—On Tuesday, December 31, at 506 Government Street, Thomas Lindsay Ray, aged seventy-seven years, late of Union Bay. The late Mr. Ray was born in Nova Scotia and had resided here for twenty years. He is survived by his widow; four sons, Richard, of Union Bay; Alfred, of Glendale, Cal.; and Forrest and Frank, of Victoria; two daughters, Mrs. J. McNeill, Vancouver, and Mrs. L. R. Hall, of Victoria; a brother in Butte, Montana; a sister, New Glasgow, N.S., and two sisters in Massachusetts, U.S.A. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home. Interment will be in the family plot at Royal Oak Burial Park.

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DINE AND DANCE AT PEKIN CAFE, Gov't St., every Sat. at 9 p.m.; orchestra; no cover charge. Come up and Pekin.

EVELYN HOLT'S DANCE, K. OF P. Hall, Broad Street, Saturday, January 4, 9 p.m.; Lonsdale. Admission 25c.

KAOB PRIDE OF VICTORIA LODGE meeting nights changed from Thursdays to Fridays.

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LOST—ROUGH-HAIRED FOX TERRIER, female (spayed), white and tan, with black patch on side. Red collar. Reward. 2064 Beach Drive.

LOST—LADY'S HANDBAG, WITH CASH, on Victoria and Sidney bus. Reward. Phone 58X, Sidney, or Coach Lines.

LOST — FERNWOOD DISTRICT, DOG, brown, with white throat. Phone G 3946. Reward.

LOST—NEW YEAR'S EVE, MAN'S ERNA watch, in or around Crystal Garden. Reward. Reply to Box 721, Colonist.

LOST—IN BPENCER'S STORE, LADY'S gold wrist watch. Finder phone G 3964. Reward.

LOST—CHANGE PURSE, CLOTH. REward. Phone E 6677.

LOST — LADY'S ROUND GOLD WRIST watch. Phone G 7611.

31 MONEY TO LOAN

BUILDING LOANS A SPECIALTY. EASY monthly or quarterly payments arranged. BROWN BROS., 214-8 Pemberton Building.

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33 BUSINESS DIRECTORY

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33 BUSINESS DIRECTORY (Continued)

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A REAL BARGAIN—YOUBOU INBIDE blocks mixed with slabwood, regular $2.75 cd., now $2.25 cd., for one week only. Bone-dry cordwood, $6.00 cd. Also all kinds of coal. Phone E 2742. Agents for Youbou Timber Co.

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A BETTER DRYLAND ALL-FIR, $2.35 cord, inside millwood, heavy bark slabs, $2.50 cord; all-fir millwood, $2.75 cord. Ronald W. R. Richards, wood and coal. E 7818.

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BONE-DRY, $5.00 cd.; inside blocks, $4.00; block slabs, $3.50 cd.; dryland, $3.25 cd. Bhawnigan Douglas Co., E 3914.

BEST HEAD SAWDUST, FROM MALAHAT Tie Mills, $3.25 per unit. J. E. Painter & Sons, 617 Cormorant. G 3541.

BONE-DRY KINDLING, ONLY $3.75 cord. Edelman, semi-dry, $2.50 cord. Cameron Wood & Coal, E 4135.

BONE-DRY KINDLING, SPECIAL SALE, $3.65 cord. G 3134, night E 3182.

BEST UP-ISLAND DRY DOUGLAS FIR wood. Special, 15 days, $2.75 cord. E 6551.

CORDWOOD, SEMI-DRY, $4.00 CORD; 2 per load, 12-in., $5.50; bone-dry, $6.00. B. Spaven, E 7958.

COOPERAGE WOOD, BONE DRY, $2.50; kindling, $1.50; heater blk., $1.75; millwood, $1.75; blocks, $2, ½ cords. G 2341.

CORDWOOD SAWN, 65c CORD; BEACHwood, $1.25. Phone G 1875.

CANADIAN WOOD AND COAL, G 3268. Dry cordwood and millwood.

FIRST GROWTH CORDWOOD, ANY length for price. J. T. Albion, E 7062.

FIRST-GROWTH CORDWOOD, 4 FT., $4; stove lengths, $5.25; 1½ cds., $7.50. G 6969.

$2.75 CD.; 2 CDS. $5.00; 4 CDS. $10; guaranteed Douglas fir millwood. Inside blocks, 14 cd.; heavy slabs, $3.50; bone-dry slabwood, $5 cd.; bone-dry cordwood, stove length, $6 cd. Distributors, Selkirk Lumber Co.'s wood. G 5334.

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$4.50 CORD—BONE-DRY MILLWOOD; Nanaimo lump coal, $11. G 6232.

$3.75 UP-ISLAND SLAB 12" RODders' Wood Co., Aloha St. G 2214.

34 PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

SWEDISH SYSTEM, ARTHRITIS, NEURITIS, lumbago, sciatica. G. H. Lowenborg. E 9969.

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CRYSTAL GARDEN—Steam, electric, hot sea-water baths, massage, etc. E Van Becker (London diploma) in charge. Telephone Empire 2522 for appointment.

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36 HALLS TO RENT

BOARD-ROOM TO RENT, FOR MEETings of companies, societies, etc. Beals Shirty Telephone, Secretarial service if required. Apply 7, Winch Bldg. E 6741.

37 MISCELLANEOUS

SAWS, ALL KINDS. FILED, SET, gummed, etc. Phone W. Emery, 1587 Gladstone Avenue.

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40 FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

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New Beds and Mattresses
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HOLIDAY SPECIALS IN TWO BEAUtiful reconditioned pianos. Mason & Risch, $175. Dominion, $150. Fully guaranteed. Fletcher Bros.

WILLIS PIANOS AT PRICES AND terms to suit. Largest selection in Victoria of new and used pianos. See us before buying.
WILLIS PIANOS LTD.
720 Fort Street

40F RADIO

BUY—8-TUBE DICTATOR HIGH-BOY, $45; $5 cash, balance $1 a week. B.C. Electric, Douglas Street.

FOR SALE—8-TUBE ELECTRIC RADIO with speaker. Just the thing for mother and dad. Nice tone, cheap. Apply 1609 Gladstone Ave.

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GRAPE VINES, ONE AND TWO YEARS, very prolific; expert pruning done. E 3465.

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BARGAINS IN SECOND-HAND BIcycles. For boys, girls, men and women. Invest your Christmas present money to advantage. Pilmley & Ritchie, Ltd., 811 View St.

C.C.M. BICYCLES, $12.50 TO $27.50; Bicycles repaired. Your money back if not satisfied. Victory Cycle Works, 1328 Government St., corner Johnson. G 4722.

ENJOY YOUR HOLIDAYS OUT OF doors. Roller skates, $1.95 to $3.25; hockey sticks from 25c; football from $1.75; also wasons, bicycles, etc., new or rebuilt. Robinson's, 1220 Broad Street. Phone G 2434.

FOR BETTER BICYCLES, HARRIS' BIcycle Store, 738 Fort Street. G 7624.

40L STOVES AND RANGES

A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR is the expressed wish of the Everready Oil Burner Sale B.C. distributors, 1318 Govt. St., to their customers in particular, and to the citizens of Victoria generally. E 0342.

ALBION RANGE. A 8-HOLE RANGE of exceptional quality. Large fire box. Double coils. Rebuilt and good as new. $32.50, delivered. Hall's Stove Works, 1321 Government Street. Empire 4921.

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40X MISCELLANEOUS

APPLES—KINGS, OTHER VARIETIES, 35c to 75c box; bring your own containers. Tanner Bros., Tanner Road, Keating.

ALL MAKES OF SEWING MACHINES repaired. A. E. Taylor & Co., 728½ Fort St.

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CALL US FOR FREE ESTIMATES ON your repairs. We make cut crystal. No obligation. Phone G 7551.

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ELECTRIC WIRING AND REPAIRS. TO all makes of appliances and radios. Twolight bedroom fixtures, 89c; crystal bottom kitchen units, $1.75. 100 feet aerial wire, 45c. H. D. Mainwaring, 722 Fort Street. G 7621.

FOR SALE — WEE McGREGOR DRAGsaw, good condition, also Cockshutt sanaplough. E M Maber, Sannichton P.O.

FOR SALE—IMPORTED ENGLISH SHOTsun, 12-gauge, bargain, $25. Must be sold by Saturday. Phone G 2940.

FOR SALE — NEARLY NEW GOOD Gheer circulator; also Royalite vacuum. Apply 1251 Harrison Street.

FOR SALE—BOOK WORKS OF ROBERT Louis Stevenson and the French Classics. Box 711, Colonist.

FOUR GOOD USED ELECTRIC SEWING machines. Taylor & Co., 728½ Fort.

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GENUINE JERSEY MILK. EARLY DEliver; 10 quarts $1. Phone E 4070.

HIGH-POWER FIELD GLASSES, $7.50 regular 6X power prismatic field glasses and leather case, $17.50; alarm clocks, 88c; telescopes, $1.50; bicycles, $6.75; electric radios, $14.75; radio tubes, 50c; new Dunlop tires, $1.10; late style spectacles to fit any sight, $2.75. Aaronson's, New and Second Hand Store, 1328 Government St., corner Johnson.

HEATERS—1 EVENING STAR NO. 20 heater, special, $10, and 1 circulating heater, $7.50. Third Floor, Hudson's Bay Company.

HOSPITAL BED AND MATTRESS, ALmost new. Phone G 2419.

INFRA RED LAMP FOR STIFF JOINTS. Bargain. Peacey, 145 Menzies.

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OVER ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY thousand sold in one month. The Schick electric razor—no lather, no blades, no irritation. As low as 50c weekly. Come in and try it at Rose's, Jeweler, 1016 Government St.

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VACUUM CLEANER WITH ALL ATtachments, also electric floor polisher with separate wax applier. Cheap. Box 815, Colonist.

VACUUM CLEANER FOR RENT BY day or week. We deliver and collect. Phone Empire 3323.

$45—PORTABLE TYPEWRITER; TERMS $3 cash, $2 monthly. Order early for Christmas. Remington Rand, Ltd., 921 Gordon St. G 8013.

1936 SILENT GLO CIRCULATING heat cabinet, four sizes. E 8112.

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41 WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

CASH FOR OLD GOLD
PACIFIC GOLD

A Mart for Busy Readers—Property for Sale or Trade

TO OUT-OF-TOWN SUBSCRIBERS

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78 HOUSES FOR SALE
(Continued)

$700—FULLY FURNISHED 5 ROOMED bungalow. Large living-room with open fireplace, 2 bedrooms. Kitchen, 3-piece bathroom and basement. Near Victoria High School. $400 cash and the balance at $15 a month.

$2100—LIKE NEW, 4 ROOMED bungalow. Large living-room with open fireplace and built-in china cabinet, 2 bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom, kitchen and pantry. Full cement basement with furnace and laundry tubs. Price includes inlaid lino in nearly all rooms and also window shades. Standing on large lot 115' x 120', with fruit trees and small fruit. Taxes only $27.00 and located just outside of city limits close to the Gorge. Owner sacrificing owing to loss in family.

$2150—A SEVEN SUITE APARTMENT house in a good central location. All plumbing and interior practically new. This is one of the best business opportunities we have had for some time.

E. E. HEATH
625 Yates Street E 4041

INDEPENDENT BARGAINS

$2800—NEW MODERN BUNGALOW, large sitting-room with fireplace, built-in features, two good-sized bedrooms, dinette, front hall, kitchen and sarasa. About an acre of land, all cultivated and fenced. Good terms.

INDEPENDENT INSURANCE AGENCIES, LTD.
574 Yates Street G arden 1651

COWICHAN BAY AND MILL BAY
WATERFRONT RESIDENCES AND COTTAGES FOR SALE OR RENT
C. WALLICH
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A BRIGHT AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR TO ALL.
IS THE SINCERE WISH OF
SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE, LIMITED
Real Estate, Insurance and Financial Agents
820 Broughton Street

79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

WANTED — COTTAGE, SOUTH OF Parliament Buildings, around $600 cash. Box 728, Colonist.

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

TO FATHERS
WITH UNEMPLOYED SONS

HERE is an opportunity to put those boys to work at a healthy, outdoor occupation. We have a property of 20 acres, with over 500 feet of actual waterfront on Elk Lake which only needs opening up with roads, trails and by underbrushing to make it worth twice what we are asking for it. There are about two acres of clearing and two fairly habitable small cottages. There is much valuable timber and wonderful views of lake, sea, islands and Mount Baker. The price is $2,500. Terms can be arranged.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
Real Estate Department
1202 Government St. Phone E 4126

81 PROPERTY WANTED

LOT, OAK BAY, FOR CASH. BOX 748, Colonist.

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

100 ACRES, METCHOSIN. FIVE roomed house, barns, etc., about 30 acres cleared, good ground, remainder with good standing timber, water plentiful. Write W. Arden, Metchosin P.O.

84 ACREAGE WANTED

WANTED—AROUND ONE ACRE TIMBered land, good soil, on or near waterfront, within 20-mile circle, southern slope. Must be cheap. Full details first letter. Box 742, Colonist.

NOTICE TO MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS

Applications addressed Board of School Trustees of Victoria will be received at School Board Office, City Hall, up to Tuesday evening, January 7, 1936, for the position of School Health Inspector of the Victoria City Public Schools.

Board of School Trustees, Victoria, B.C.
December 31, 1935.

NOTICE For Sale

Tenders are hereby invited for purchase of machinery of the British Columbia Worsted Mills Ltd., located at Victoria, B.C., and equipped for the manufacture of fine yarns. For inventory and information write to the undersigned before January 15, on or which day I have been instructed to receive tenders. A deposit cheque equal to 5% of the amount of tender, made payable to the City Treasurer, must accompany each tender. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

E. S. MICHELL,
Purchasing Agent,
City Hall, Victoria, B.C., December 30, 1935.

For Sale—BUTCHER SHOP

Situated in best part of Victoria, client instructs us to dispose of his very good business owing to accident on Christmas day.
Equipment worth $2,000 goes with it. This is a going concern, and making good money. Sacrifice price
$1,650
For further particulars apply to exclusive agents
Arthur E. Haynes, Ltd.
728 FORT STREET
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GORDON HEAD ACREAGE

Choice 5 acres, all cleared and cultivated, southwestern exposure, choice high location. Worth at least $500 per acre, but MUST BE SOLD IMMEDIATELY, and is offered at $1,500 on terms, or less for cash. Make us an offer.

$250 CASH—BALANCE LIKE RENT

Fine 6-roomed bungalow, one floor, in perfect condition inside and out. No. 1 adze grain fir floors, polished. A very comfortable home, and a bargain at ONLY $1,250.

CLOSE-IN ACREAGE

$1,300 on terms: 3 acres good land, all ready for plough, and comfortable 4-roomed bungalow. City water and light. Situated on main road, within four-mile circle.

W. J. GILLILAND & CO.
1208 Broad Street G arden 5741

COLES, HOWELL & CO., LTD.

MOUNT TOLMIE

In this healthy district, a well-built bungalow comprising a very comfortable combined living-room and dining-room, two bedrooms, bathroom and a well-arranged kitchen; concrete basement, hot-water heating. Two lots with about 25 fruit-bearing fruit trees, bush fruits, etc. Chicken house. Light taxes.
Price **$2700**

OAK BAY

On one of the best residential streets in this district, close to car and bus. A new stucco bungalow containing a splendid large living-room with a fireplace, hardwood floors, dining-room, two bedrooms, bathroom and well-appointed kitchen. Concrete basement and garage.
Price **$2800**

EXCHANGE

MODERN FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, furnace, hardwood floors, garage, ONE ACRE of grounds, laid out in small fruit and flowers. This property is on 115TH STREET, EDMONTON, and the owner will trade at LOW VALUATION, and pay CASH, on business property on Vancouver Island.

2¼ ACRES, EAST SAANICH ROAD

Fine sea views. Two-room cottage. Some fruit trees.
Bargain at **$700**

COLES, HOWELL & CO., LTD.
638 VIEW ST. PHONE G 1037

OAK BAY

A brand new stucco bungalow containing six rooms, all large and all beautifully decorated. Hardwood floors in main rooms, with ample closet space in the bedrooms. Electric fixtures, inlaid linoleums in kitchen and bathroom, tiled sink in a very modern kitchen. Price also includes blinds. Full cement basement, space for the garage partitioned off. Situated on a fine boulevarded street and near the sea. Local improvement taxes are all paid up. The price
is only **$3150**
(Terms can be arranged)

CHERRY POINT

Forty acres, mostly timbered. Good five-roomed house, barn, etc., ten acres of good land easily cleared. Spring water **$750**

SHAWNIGAN

Ten acres, about two cleared, large creek. Six-roomed house, barn, outbuildings, orchard, etc. **$1300**

METCHOSIN

2½ Acres, with actual seafront. Exceptionally well-built house of six rooms, barn, poultry houses, etc., orchard, gardens, etc.
For quick sale **$1900**

Pemberton & Son, Ltd.
625 Fort St. Phone G 8121

James Bay Bargain
LARGE FIVE ROOMED BUNGALOW

Built of best materials, some years ago, for owner's own use. Space in attic for two more rooms. Situated on a nice level garden, best part of James Bay. The price is
only **$2100**

NEAR DALLAS ROAD

Best Part of Fairfield District. Very cozy five-roomed bungalow, full cement basement, furnace, garage. Price includes gas stove, coal hot water stove, lino, etc. A remarkably
good buy at **$1900**

ACREAGE

Charming Building Sites. Two plots, about one acre each. Off Reynolds Road, short distance from Lake Hill. $100 and $350, respectively.

Overlooking Cadboro Bay, just beyond golf links. One-acre building site, oak trees. Reduced to
each **$2500**

Lansdowne Road, facing south, not far from car line. Several acre building sites, oak trees. Wonderful views. Per acre **$2500**

The B.C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd.
922 Government St. Phone G 4115

NEW . . . $2,700
$600 Cash

Charming five-room stucco bungalow, with all modern conveniences, situated among new homes in a high and dry location. Low taxes. Terms arranged.
$1500
$200 CASH, BALANCE AS RENT
Comfortable six-room home, walking distance. Furnace, garage. Modest taxes. Good repair.

A. A. MEHAREY & CO.
624 Fort St. Phone E 1187
Real Estate, Insurance, Blocks, Bonds, Notary Public

$3,500
HIGH LOCATION
WONDERFUL VALUE

A fine house of eight large rooms, well arranged plan. Hot water heating. Extra fine living-room, library, dining-room, four bedrooms; oak stairway. Full cement basement. Garage. Nice garden. Price is about one-third original cost.

Heisterman, Forman & Co.
608 VIEW STREET

JUST 'ROUND THE CORNER

From school and high school and only a few minutes' walk from the city is a cozy bungalow having living-room, dining-room, kitchen, two bedrooms and bathroom. The property is in nice shape, has cement basement and furnace and a new roof. Price
$1600
"Start the New Year Right"
Ker & Stephenson, Limited
1205 Government St. Phone G 4127

AMBERS WILL FACE KLICK

Lightweight Contenders to Clash Tonight in Madison Square Garden

NEW YORK, Jan. 2 (AP.)—Two persistent rivals for Tony Canzoneri's lightweight boxing crown clash in Madison Square Garden tomorrow night for the privilege of meeting the champion in a title contest.

They are Lou Ambers, the Herkimer, N.Y., hurricane and Frankie Klick, the California veteran, who is stepping along at the same speed he set when he first appeared on the big time years ago.

The pair will fight the ten-round feature of an all-lightweight show, and Canzoneri has promised to meet the winner in the Spring.

The betting is 6 to 5 that Klick will drop his first Garden decision in seven starts.

NEW ORLEANS RACING

FAIR GROUNDS, NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 2.—Results here today follow:

First Race—Five and one-half furlongs: For Romance (Manifold) $21.80 $12.00 $6.00; Royal Imaan (Grace) ... 9.20 5.20; Isenberg (Tilden) ... 3.00. Time, 1:11 3-5. Also ran: Phyllis R., Jildae, Sourdine, Color Bell, Satinsky, Glass, Discriminate, Creole Beauty, Grand Flara.

Second Race—Six furlongs: Susar Creek (Parke) ... $10.40 $4.60 $4.00; Pennant Bearer (Verchar) ... 4.00 3.20; Harold Jr. (Pool) ... 3.20. Time, 1:13 1-5. Also ran: Twiderin, Buffolk, Brown Slippers, Side Show, Merry Irene, Scalassie, Pace, Papillote, Rubans Choice.

Third Race—Mile and seventy yards: Tegny Weeny (Donoho) ... $10.20 $5.00 $4.00; Canteron (Miller) ... 5.60 4.20; George (Verchar) ... 5.20. Time, 1:51 1-5. Also ran: Edgar Boy, Jobs Dido, Jim McConnell, War Plane, Dusty Lane, Lommern, Noble Tiller, Maffier Con, French Maid.

Fourth Race—Two furlongs: John M. Kover (Dubois) ... $10.60 $5.60 $4.00; Quick Vine (Manifold) ... 7.00 7.40; Debate (Mariner) ... 7.40. Time, :23 3-5. Also ran: Sergeant Al, White Sweets, Erb, Curricle, Becks Choice, Pal Bane, Whiskenda.

Fifth Race—Six furlongs: Catchall (O'Day) ... $10.40 $6.00 $4.40; Mentality (Vall) ... 20.40 11.00; Dark Roamer (Parke) ... 5.80. Time, 1:17 1-5. Also ran: Moonam, Prosecutor, Fayette Prince, Bea M., Whizz James, Eager Belle, Zipalong, Defirr, Wise Mona.

Sixth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Golden Quest (Polk) ... $7.00 $3.80 $2.80; Sir Michael (Lauria) ... 4.40 3.20; Sherfron (G. Smith) ... 2.80. Time, 1:55. Also ran: Arctic Star, Skipsea, Holster, Riff, Alice Byrd.

Seventh Race—Mile and one-eighth: Cuyoona (Polk) ... $6.60 $4.00 $3.20; Kuvera (Terry) ... 9.00 4.00; Southland Lad (O'Day) ... 4.40. Time, 2:01. Also ran: Imperial Blondy, Sure Gamble, Indian Dance, Simon, Hybias, My Rosanne, Cordon Bleu, My Tone, Blue Form.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First Race—Six furlongs: Which Image 102; Chi Chi 107; Denied Up 102; Twinkle Queen 107; Imperial Play 107; Mr. Stein 112; Harem Queen 102; Onside; Clerks Mercedes 107; Congressman II. 112; Sunnya 107; Brilliant Stone 107; Meanwell 107; Color Bell 107; Creole Beauty 102.

Second Race—Six furlongs: Josie G. 112; Item 112; Prince Aisle 106; Shadowgraph 111; Mathieson 117; Guesa 107; Florence Play 106; Herbar 101; Busy Billy 111; Linaross 112; Mullet 112; Winerose 101; Honorary 106; Judge Bonelli 117; Louise Dire 108; Pete Horback 112; Old Dominion 112; Lady Scout 112.

Third Race—Six furlongs: The Nile 100; Federal Reserve 110; Julius J. R. 106; Wind Song 105; Ozill 110; Mint Jake 110; Nellie S. 110; Best Man 105; Shasta Broom 114; San Lu 100; Eleusacon 109; Donna James 109; Star Player 105; Red Cactus 109; Dertees 109; Wells Twinkle 109; Skirl 110; Shoteur 110.

Fourth Race—One mile: Mechanics Oslo 110; Buster B. 112; More Power 106; Just Mrs. 107; Boston Common 107; Big Torch 111; Portfolio 110; Onside 101; Peggys Peggy 101; Oddest Beau 98; Fears O. 106; Lucky Turn 106; Timer 108; Levasi 108; Buff Day 106; Jean Brown 113; Justa Sheik 113; Portsam 104.

Fifth Race—Five and one-half furlongs: Brown Witch 96; Whilharral 115; Liberty Oak 112; Rizia 100; Neverfade 113; Happy Find 108; Der Geiter 108; Judge Primrose 113; Witan 113.

Sixth Race—Mile and one-quarter: Dudley C. 108; Respect 115; Wilco 110; Para Four 102; Blind Bill 102; Hit and Run 115; Elizabeth S. 102; Sun Circle Blaze 99; Joseph J. 104.

Seventh Race—Mile and seventy yards: Tiedemann 116; Fexed 111; Snorting Maudie 111; Bear Cry 111; Bobby Basep 111; Mutual Friend 112; Mysterious Nell 106; Miss Johnston 111; Clovinla 111; Burly 102; Empress Wu 104; St. Carl 104; Cortles John 116; Hervala 103; Lady Rockliefre 111; Jolly Rambler 102; Yarnalltor 112; Goose Flesh 102.

Eighth Race (substitute—Mile and seventy yards: Wild Kitty 107; Little Henry 112; Orkin 116; Key Flirt 112; Happy Lad 112; Dug In 116; Olive A. 111; Brilliant Miss 100; St. Omer 111; Dewhurst 107; Irish Vote 107; Dispeller 107; June Bourbon 107; Gay Bird 107; Mary McCarthy 102; Clove 102; Indian Red 107; Sweet Gal 102.

Biggest Winner - - - By Jack Sords

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Soccer Chatter

By A.F.A.N.

The Wests failed in their attempt to capture their second cup on Saturday, but their effort, made as it was with a team of youngsters, was a gallant one, and they went down fighting to the end. At half-time we all expected to see them emerge, as usual, victorious by means of a second-half rally, but it did not come off.

Their weakness, fortunately, is one which time will cure. They lost entirely through the lack of experience of a clever and hard-working defence, who crowded Restall at the critical moments, and whom veterans like Hay and Stewart found easy to outwit. But too much praise cannot be given to young Bell, who played the best individual game on the field.

Moreover, had they played Gordie Bell in his proper position, John Watt would most certainly have had more opportunities given him. Bell may be a good inside man, but he is a much better and more valuable wing man. Even at that, the Wests had hard luck two or three times in the second half, when neither Joe nor Louis could have told how they saved their goal.

Lorandini did not live up to the reputation he has lately built, and with the collapse of a centre half, any defence will fail in spite of the heroic efforts of the others. Boyd was far too good for the Wests' right wing, and Jimmy Hay was too fast for their right half and back. Scotty Stewart worked very hard, and once the West defence began to crack, he took full advantage of it.

In every one of the Leaming Cup games the eventual winners have come from behind in the second half of the game, which seems to indicate the value of condition. There are still too many players who do not seem to be able to stand the racket of a ninety-minute game, and that at mid-season is not as it should be.

Much speculation was rife on the sidelines as to the propriety or otherwise of a linesman going on to the field as a substitute. There is no law to say that this must not be. But many fans think that the fact that a linesman deserts the flag to play on the team is hardly in line with the following official decision: "Wherever it is possible, linesmen should be neutral."

It is unfortunate that club partisans or actual players should be asked to run the line. It is not fair to the referee nor to the linesman himself. Surely we are asking too much of frail human nature. Moreover, since it is the duty of a linesman to "assist the referee in carrying out the game in accordance with the laws," it seems that experience should be a necessary qualification.

Two very peculiar remarks were addressed to me on the sidelines during the Boxing Day game. One regular fan said to me, "Do you think Victoria could beat these fellows if there was anything in it?" Upon inquiry I discovered that this man, in common with several others, is under the impression that Victoria is not a member of the Inter-City League, but is playing exhibition games with the Mainlanders.

Needless to say, my questioner was highly gratified to learn that our victory gave us two points in the league, which places us at the head of the list. Can you guess how he got the impression that Victoria was an outside team giving the others practice games?

The second questioner was more startling still, and perhaps my readers will doubt my honesty. A man and his big son approached during the interval. "Can you tell me the exact score?" the father asked. When I obliged, he said: "What happened? Did Victoria convert the try?" "No," I replied. "This is soccer; we do not count points; we score goals only."

I could tell by the consternation on their faces that they were not kidding. "Isn't this Macdonald Park?" the younger man asked. When I had given full directions, off they hastened to take a car to see the Rugby game which they thought they had been watching for forty-five minutes! I shouldn't wonder if they are soccer fans now.

By the way, little Victoria, whom Mr. Delaney tells his readers to ignore, must have given Vancouver a shock on Boxing Day. They supported in goodly numbers two inter-city games, and won them both. We are evidently neither a soccer nor a rugger town, but both. We congratulate our sister game and wish the ruggers every success in their coming test with the New Zealanders.

Nineteen-thirty-six is here and we soccer people have no reason to be ashamed of the old year. Competition was always keen; the touring Scots had a good game and a good time. We finished top of the Inter-City League; unselfishly we helped Nanaimo in its quest for Dominion honors, and we never let a visiting side down financially.

Nor need we have any qualms as to the coming year. We shall go a long way in the Canadian Championship. We start at the head of the Inter-city League; we have dozens and dozens of youngsters playing good ball in half a dozen minor leagues, and we have four senior clubs evidently bent on sharing the honors of the season, for two of them have already bagged a cup apiece.

So our New Year's wish for good sport seems likely to be fulfilled. Cheerio!

Camel's hair is imported into Europe and used extensively in the manufacture of dress materials and rugs. Cow's hair is also used as a substitute in the cheaper grades of so-called camel's hair goods.

Champion's Theories on Golf

By LAWSON LITTLE

Ever since the beginning of competitive sports there have been upsets, the underdog once in a while wins—everyone is surprised and wonders how it could have happened. In dealing with golf, however, the solution for such surprises is fairly simple; golf is one of the most uncertain games in the world.

The method of running the British and American amateur championships; that is, seven eighteen hole matches in the former and six in the latter, makes predictions almost impossible.

I know of no one who has correctly named four of the eight quarter finalists in either of these tournaments for the last two years, and all of the expert critics tried. Upsets, especially in the eighteen hole matches, do occur and always will.

GREATEST SURPRISE

The greatest surprise to modern golfdom was when Johnny Goodman eliminated Bobby Jones in the first round of the amateur championship over the Pebble Beach course at Del Monte, California, in 1929.

Bobby started slowly that morning and lost the first three holes to Goodman, and Goodman, then only nineteen, held on to that precious lead with the tenacity of a bulldog, and finally won the last hole.

In 1934, Goodman, an experienced and finely-polished competitor by this time, tasted some of the same medicine he gave to Jones from young Bobby Jacobson, of Deal, New Jersey, a protege of Craig Wood's. Another casualty in the first round of this tournament was that sterling competitor and splendid sportsman, Francis Ouimet, of Boston. Sixteen-year-old Bobby Jones, of Detroit, took Ouimet to the eighteenth green and made a spectator out of him.

IDEA OF VICTORY

Now the question arises, how can these young, inexperienced players win against such seasoned competitors and campaigners? It seems to me that the answer lies mainly in the youngster's golf psychology and headwork. When Johnny Goodman heard that he was to play Bobby Jones what did he do? How did he prepare himself? How do the other young players who are matched against more experienced opponents get ready?

I can assure you that they do not start immediately on a feverish practice campaign, but instead they adjust themselves mentally. It is a cinch that any amount of practicing they could do just before a match would not sufficiently improve their mechanical technique to compensate for the strain and fatigue that would naturally result. By preparing themselves mentally, they built up the idea of victory in their minds.

They know that golf is a very uncertain game, that upsets have happened since the game began and they set their minds on the goal of providing still another upset. In other words they don't expect defeat, at least they won't admit such a possibility, even though they are playing in a match where the chances may be ten to one against them. They try to make that day the one chance out of ten when the outsider comes through. Fortified with this sort of mental attitude, even if it fails of its goal, the younger players undoubtedly make a better showing than they would have if they gave up all hope on the first tee and played the rest of the match just to go through the motions.

PHOTOGRAPHIC MIND

Another thing the younger players are learning now is the proper way to analyze a course. This advancement probably comes from the close association of young amateur players with the professional golfers. Tommy Armour, of all the golfers I know, has the most photographic mind. This canny Scot views a course once, it seems, and can tell you how to play every hole and where every bush or trap along the fairway is located.

My system of analyzing a course is this: When I have a picture of every hole firmly fixed in my mind, I find that it helps me to have a mental diagram of the ideal way to play every shot on the course. On every course there are some easy holes and some hard holes, comparatively speaking. I pick out a few of the easiest and call them my birdie holes and on these I strive to make a birdie without too much risk of losing my par; on these holes a par is necessary at high costs. On the hard holes I do not try for birdies but attempt the best methods to insure getting a par.

If a player already knows which way is best to play a hole he can use all of his concentrative forces to execute individual shots and won't be wondering if he is doing the wrong thing during the making of a stroke. After talking to a number of the amateurs during the last two years I have found that many of them used some system in many ways similar to my own.

It is a certainty that those players who have some sort of a system will not be entering a match blind, but each will instead have a definite plan of action, similar to the carefully-laid plans for a battle campaign. By combining these plans with the thought that they can and will win, golfers will undoubtedly make a better showing than they would if they entered the match unprepared and played without thinking.

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MACKENZIES FIRST IN MIXED TOURNEY

Captain and Mrs. C. I. Mackenzie won the New Year's Day mixed foursomes held at the Victoria Golf Club with a card of 90-19—71. S. A. Haynes and Miss E. Heisterman finished second with a score of 91-16½—74½. Twenty-four entries teed off.

Scores follow:

	Gross	Hdcp.	Net
Captain and Mrs. C. I. Mackenzie	90	19	71
S. A. Haynes and Miss E. Heisterman	91	16½	74½
Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hepburn	88	13	75
Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gillespie	97	22	75
A. V. Macan and Mrs. Sheffield	88	13	75
Mr. and Mrs. A. S. G. Musgrave	91	15½	75½
Captain O. Cox and Mrs. Tyhurst	100	24	76
J. M. Nichol and Mrs. Philbrick	85	9	76
Lieut.-Com. and Mrs. H. N. Lay	93	16	77
J. A. O'Dwyer and Mrs. Atwell King	95	17½	77½
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Tomalin	101	21½	79½
Mr. and Mrs. J. Harold Wilson	96	15½	80½
W. H. M. Haldane and Mrs. A. L. Scott	98	16	82
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Leach	104	21	83
J. H. Todd and Miss M. Prior	103	19	84
Arthur Pitts and Miss M. Campbell	105	20	85
Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Todd	102	14½	87½
N. Thornton Fell and Miss M. Todd	94	5½	88½

Bays-Wanderers Line-Up

Bays-Wanderers senior Rugby line-up for tomorrow's fixture with the Canadian Scottish at Macdonald Park follows: Angus, Addison, Turgoose, McConnan, Usher, Symons, Brown, Pettierew, J. Osman, Drummond, Tobin, A. Briggs, F. Briggs, Moore and Burns.

SOCCER LINE-UPS

Victoria West Second Division soccer line-up for tomorrow's Combination Cup fixture follows: Caldwell, Jack, Bell, Gent, Restall, Paterson, Tuthill, Price, Embrey, Dallimore, Thorburn, Purss and Fletcher. Players are asked to be at Heywood Avenue not later than 2 o'clock.

Dundee in Deadlock

DUNDEE, Scotland, Jan. 2 (AP.)—In a second division, Scottish Soccer League match played here today, Dundee United and Brechin City battled to a 2-2 draw.

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HOCKEY SQUADS TO OPEN SEASON

Five Fixtures Billed Tomorrow for Royal Juvenile Athletic Association Squads

Roller hockey squads in the Royal Juvenile Athletic Association Roller Hockey League will swing into action tomorrow afternoon with five games carded, two in the under eighteen section and three in the under sixteen division.

The complete list of fixtures released yesterday by Alex MacDonald, secretary, follows:

UNDER EIGHTEEN

Rough Riders vs. Saanich Cougars, Stanley Avenue; referee, W. O'Connor.

Wimpy's Capitals vs. Red Wings, Balmoral Road; referee, J. O'Connor.

UNDER SIXTEEN

Black Hawks vs. Rock Bay, Bank Street; referee, Fletcher.

Aces vs. Oak Bay Lions, Clover Street; referee, O'Connell.

Wolverines vs. Victoria West, Point Street; referee, Jennings.

All games will commence at 2 o'clock.

SCOTT'S SCRAPBOOK - - - - By R J Scott

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CALENDAR OF DATES GIVEN

Conductors and Organists' Association Establish Clearing House

With the start of the New Year, the newly-formed Conductors and Organists' Association inaugurates an engagement clearing house for the use of those contemplating theatrical and other types of entertainment.

Cyril C. Warren has been appointed to gather the information, and at the beginning of each month a list of engagements will be announced so that those contemplating other concerts and attractions may be guided in determining dates. Anyone wishing to contribute information to the clearing house may do so by telephoning Empire 7191 and asking for William Findlay or C. C. Warren.

January List

Following is a list of January engagements:

January 3, Varsity Ball at the Empress Hotel.

January 5, Sunday, 3 p.m., joint choirs of the Fairfield United and St. Andrew's Churches, cantata, "Ten Virgins," at Fairfield United Church.

January 17 and 18, Gonzales Chapter, I.O.D.E., Empire Theatre.

January 23, Hart House String Quartette, Empress Hotel.

January 28, Drama Festival, sub-regional finals, Empire Theatre.

January 31, Eurydice Art Club, "Merry England," Empire Theatre.

LADYSMITH WILL HOLD PLEBISCITE

To Vote on Union Library Plan—Reports of Year's Activities Received

LADYSMITH, Jan. 2.—The final city council meeting of 1935, held on Monday, authorized the holding of a plebiscite in the city for Ladysmith's participation in the union library plan for Vancouver Island. The plebiscite will affect the area known as the Ladysmith School District, and the further authority to include those in the area outside of the municipal area will be sought by order-in-council.

Reports of the year's activities were introduced by the fire wardens, the cemetery committee and the electric light committee. These were all received as eminently satisfactory.

An interim report on the costs of all-night street lighting, which was introduced three months ago, disclosed that over a twelve-month period at the present average of price and consumption, the cost would be well over $1,000, while only $600 had been provided for in the estimates. The annual cost, however, for 1935 cannot be estimated on the new average, as the figures only affect the past three months.

PLAN IMPROVEMENT

Mayor Walkem pointed out that the off-peak consumption of current by street lighting should materially reduce the average cost per kilowatt, and the figures submitted could not be regarded as conclusive until this was taken into consideration. The port was laid on the table for further investigation and a recommendation was passed that the city electrician submit a plan for the progressive improvement of the street lighting circuit over a period of years. In many respects the street lighting is obsolete and wasteful, and the 1936 council can base its street lighting programme on the electrician's report.

Mayor Walkem reported on the welfare fund. His expectations had been exceeded by the fine response in donations and services, $565.60 in cash and nearly $100 in goods having been received. More than 150 hampers had been distributed and the reaction to the welfare work was everywhere favorable. The fund is still open and distress will be alleviated as the slight remaining funds permit.

In reviewing briefly the spirit of co-operation that had animated the council during the year, Mayor Walkem remarked he had found this so pleasant that he would again allow his name to go forward for mayoral honors.

Aldermen J. D. Giovando and A. Dady, the other retiring members of the council, made similar pronouncements and will run as candidates for aldermen.

TOTAL OF FIRES

Alderman Joyce, for the fire wardens, reported that the total number of fires for the year was nine, with damage estimated at $98. Barely had the council adjourned, however, when the fire alarm sounded for a fire in the home of Wilfred Jones. Mrs. Jones sustained painful burns about the hands and this constituted the only injuries sustained by fire in Ladysmith during a year characterized by a record low in fires and damage.

It is much easier to prevent a cold than to stop one. Even a slight cold can take hold quickly and develop seriously. When you are threatened with a cold, the wise thing to do is to treat it promptly for what it is—*an internal infection*.

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POPULAR AUDITORIUM HAS BEEN RENOVATED

The Chamber of Commerce auditorium has undergone extensive redecoration and renovation, with an extremely attractive color scheme carried out. It is now in first-class condition for all types of afternoon and evening parties, meetings or banquets. A commodious checkroom has been constructed, and, in addition, the auditorium boasts an excellent stage with lighting effects.

SELF-KIDNAPPER IS RELEASED ON BOND

NEW YORK, Jan. 2 (AP).—Caleb Jones Milne, 4th, who confessed that his "kidnapping" was a hoax to further his theatrical and literary ambitions, was released Tuesday from the Federal House of Detention after his father posted a $7,500 bond.

BIG CAR YEAR IS LOOKED FOR

General Motors of Canada Anticipate 1936 Will Exceed 1929 Sales

OSHAWA, Jan. 2.—Back from a field tour of the Canadian West, E. R. Birchard, assistant general sales manager, General Motors Products of Canada, Limited, brings such assurance of improvement in business generally in that part of the Dominion that 1936 is expected to be a bigger "car year" than the West has seen since 1929. Provinces west of the Great Lakes absorbed over 22 per cent of Canada's domestic motor car sales in 1935. This percentage, Mr. Birchard thinks, may go as high as 30 per cent in 1936, which would bring Western Canada back to normal, percentage-wise, or to the same level attained in 1929 and 1930.

"The West," said Mr. Birchard in an interview, "is proving that it is almost as good a market comparatively for the early 1936 models as the rest of the Dominion. At Vancouver our dealers delivered more cars than during previous introduction periods. It was the same at Calgary, where retail orders piled in as soon as the new cars were announced.

HEAVIER DELIVERIES

"In Saskatchewan the heavy fall of early snow was a handicap to retail sales, but in spite of that, our deliveries at Regina were somewhat heavier than during the preceding announcement period for cars. The same is true of Winnipeg, but again the early onset of Winter was a deterrent to buying."

Undoubtedly the feeling in Western Canada is a lot better, Mr. Birchard reported. On the prairies the fact that wheat is moving to market, and is actually being sold, is a big help to business. Farther west, the upturn in business is seen in many directions, notably in the lumbering industry where mills, which have been shut down for long periods, are starting up again. Fourteen such mills in one area near Vancouver were mentioned by Mr. Birchard.

Motor-car men saw significance in the fact that many larger cars are being purchased since the new models came out. It is a sign that Western Canada is coming back, they believe.

HON. F. B. GREGORY'S SISTER PASSES AWAY

FREDERICTON, N.B., Jan. 2 (C).—Mrs. Alexander W. MacRae, a daughter of the late Mr. Justice George F. Gregory of the New Brunswick Supreme Court, died in hospital Tuesday, following an operation last Friday. Among the survivors is Hon. F. B. Gregory, of Victoria, a brother.

BEATEN TO DEATH

MANILA, Jan. 2 (AP).—Suspected of practicing witchcraft, a father, mother and daughter were beaten to death in a Northern Mindanao village, recently, the Philippine constabulary learned today.

CULBERTSON on CONTRACT

By Ely Culbertson

World's Champion Player and Greatest Card Analyst

CATASTROPHE

My sympathy always goes out to the player who finds himself in that most baffling and provocative of bridge situations; opponent with a part-score makes a bid, he holds a fair hand—shall he defend or surrender?

Even with such a bidding yardstick available as the Culbertson "rule of two and three" governing defensive overcalls, it is difficult to hew strictly to the line when the opponents are about to sail blithely to a rubber on a miserable bid of one. The temptation to try and find a few useable cards in partner's hand is almost overpowering at such times. Certainly a catastrophe such as I am about to describe seems disproportionate punishment for the minor offence involved.

East, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.
East-West part-score eighty.

NORTH
♠ Q 9 7 5
♥ 7 4 3
♦ 6 5 3 2
♣ 4 2

WEST
♠ 10 4
♥ 10 9 8 5 2
♦ 7 4
♣ A K 8 6

EAST
♠ A K J 8 2
♥ J
♦ A K J 9
♣ 10 9 7

SOUTH
♠ 6 3
♥ A K Q 6
♦ Q 10 8
♣ Q J 5 3

The bidding:

East	South	West	North
1 ♠	Double	Pass	1 NT
Double	Pass	Pass	Pass

South's take-out double of the one spade bid was as good, or as bad, as any other bid he could make. Certainly it appeared as safe as a two heart overcall with his four card suit. He could stand either a diamond or a club response from North. Whether he should have passed to East's double of the no trump is a moot point—he undoubtedly felt that the fat already was in the fire and that he might only make a bad matter worse by raising the contract.

The play was most interesting and exciting (except from the North and South point of view). East opened the diamond king and then made the excellent shift to the club ten. Dummy's jack covered and West won with the king, returning the spade ten. North covered and East's king won. Now the nine of clubs was led, and, when dummy ducked, the seven put West in for two more club tricks. The low spade through North's 9 7 5 enabled East to run his entire suit. Meanwhile, the dummy was having considerable trouble discarding. When East laid down his fifth spade the situation was as follows:

NORTH
♠ —
♥ 7 4
♦ 6 5
♣ —

WEST
♠ —
♥ 10 9 8
♦ 7
♣ —

EAST
♠ 2
♥ J
♦ A J
♣ —

SOUTH
♠ —
♥ A K
♦ Q 10
♣ —

Obviously, at this point the South hand cannot discard safely. A diamond discard permits East to cash his two high diamonds. If the ace of hearts is blanked, East simply forces South into the lead, requiring a lead from the queen-ten of diamonds into his higher tenace.

Thus North and South managed to take exactly one trick for a penalty of 1,700 points!

TODAY'S QUESTION

Question—North bid one spade. East (my partner) doubled. South bid three spades. I was vulnerable and held:

♠ 6, ♥ J 10 8 7 5 4, ♦ K 10 5 3, ♣ K 2

I passed. Later my partner criticized me severely, saying I should have bid four hearts. Who was right?

Answer—Your partner was right. Your distribution demands a bid in response to a vulnerable take-out double. If your partner's double was sound—and you must assume that it was—you should make four hearts with ease.

TOMORROW'S HAND

NORTH
♠ A 10 8 4 3
♥ A 10 9 6 2
♦ —
♣ Q J 7

WEST
♠ Q 5
♥ Q 8 7 5 3
♦ A Q 6
♣ A 10 4

EAST
♠ J 7 6
♥ 4
♦ K J 9 7 4 3
♣ 9 5 2

SOUTH
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West, dealer.
Neither side vulnerable.

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in tomorrow's article.

ANNUAL JANUARY SALE

CONTINUES WITH GOOD BARGAINS TODAY

10 ONLY, DOWN COMFORTERS
Lovely Down-Filled Comforters in plain silk coverings. Ventilated and interlined. Values to $22.50. On sale, each **$13.98**

MIXED DOWN COMFORTERS
Mixed Down-Filled Comforters, with serviceable floral cambric cases and contrasting sateen panels. January Sale Specials, each **$7.95**
—Staples, Main Floor

A TABLE OF ODDMENTS IN
PURE WOOL BLANKETS
Some Slightly Shop Soiled
Represented in this clearance are plain colored blankets, some with satin bindings; also a few white blankets—marked to clear at ..... **1/3 OFF** Reg. Prices
—Staples, Main Floor

MILL CLEARANCE OF
Sheets and Pillow Cases
Offers an Opportunity to Save on Bed Linens for Everyday Use!
Included in this clearance are plain hemmed and hemstitched styles; also some with plain colored borders; as well as some slightly shop soiled.
A Feature Event! And All Marked Away Below Market Prices!
—Staples, Main Floor

A Grand Opportunity to Buy
Fine Quality SILKS
For Future Use at These Low January Sale Prices

GEORGETTE CREPES and Ninon de Soie. Shown in odd shades. Excellent grade silks. Regular, a yard, to $1.69 for **49c**

SUEDE TAFFETAS of a very strong texture. A silk suitable for lingerie, linings or children's dresses; 38-inch. A yard **49c**

Printed Dress Crepes. Smart in design and beautiful color blendings; 38 inches wide. Value, a yard, to $1.98, for **98c**

Angora Crepes. Rich, soft draping satin-back dress crepe, with new Angora fleck effect; 38 inches wide. Regular price, a yard, $3.75. On sale at **$1.98**

Broche Silks, in white and plain shades. Especially suitable for evening cape linings. Patterned in small designs and large floral patterns; 38 inches wide. Regular prices, a yard, $1.59 and $1.75 for **79c**

Travel Tweed Crepes in neat tweed effects and attractive color combinations. Dress crepes that will give wonderful service; 37 inches wide. Regular, a yard, $1.00, for **69c**

Silk Flat Crepes. All pure silk and a selection of light, medium and dark shades. Suitable for dresses, slips or lingerie; 38 inches. Regular, a yard, 98c for **69c**

Transparent Velvet. Rich, soft draping velvets. Shades of sky, yellow, turquoise, rust, Nile green and coral; 36 inches. Reg. a yard, $1.98 for **$1.39**
—Silks, Main Floor

Fine Lingerie
Priced for Clearance

RAYON VESTS AND BLOOMERS. Odd sizes only. Regular, a garment, 79c, for **39c**

PYJAMAS of fine rayon. Oddments. One-piece effect. Regular, a suit, $1.95, for **$1.59**

SLIPS OF SUEDE TAFFETA AND CREPE DE CHINE. Odd lines and broken sizes. Values to $1.79 for **$1.29**

TEDDIES AND DANCE SETS of fine quality crepe de Chine. White and rose. Regular, a set, $1.95, for **$1.29**

ALL-WOOL VESTS AND PANTIES. Peach, pink or green. Regular, a garment, 89c, for **59c**
—Lingerie, 1st Floor

Women's Smart SHOES
Grouped for January Clearance!

WINTER OXFORDS. Sport styles and brogues in brown or black calf and grain leathers. Including short lines of Albions. Values to $7.50. A pair **$4.45**

STYLE SHOES. Dressy models in suede, kid and calf leathers. T-straps, pumps and ties with Cuban or spike heels. Values to $7.50. A pair **$4.45**

TARSAL-EASE SHOES. Smardon's renowned walking Oxfords in exclusive patterns. Shoes of ultra-smart design, with all the best foot health features. Suede and kid leathers. Regular $10.00. A pair **$7.45**

EVENING SLIPPERS. Faille and satin pumps and sandals in black or dyeable white. January Sale, a pair **$3.95**

ARCH-WEDGE SHOES. Invictus make, with positive foot-support features; also lighter-weight arch-type shoes, Oxford straps and gore pumps. Black and brown kid. January Sale, a pair **$4.45**

OTHER GROUPS, including best-known makes of quality footwear. Marked down to ..... **$4.95** and **$5.95**
1st Floor Shoe Dept

Corselettes
Regular $7.95.
On Sale at
$5.95

This is an exceptionally good fitting model of French batiste with "Lastex" back and lace uplift top. Low-back style, boned across abdomen and with four narrow hose supporters.
—Corsets, 1st Floor

MEN'S INVICTUS SHOES
January Sale, Per Pair **$5.45**

Canada's best-known make of fine Shoes for men. A wide range of Winter styles in double-sole shoes, of Scotch grain and Winter calfskin; as well as lighter-weight models in calf or kid leathers. Fine-fitting lasts in all widths and sizes from 6 to 12.
—Main Floor Shoe Dept

January Clearance of
FINE YARNS
Regular, a Lb., $4.00, for **$2.40**

"Ayrnit" Scotch Yarns. Shades of navy, black and white, light green, fawn and green and fawn mixtures. Regular, a lb., $4.00, for **$2.40**

Paton's and Baldwin's "Lorna" and "Homespun" Yarns. A perfect yarn for suits, dresses and sweaters. Shades are blue, grey, brown, green, fawns and mixtures. Regular, a lb., $4.00, for **$2.40**
—Wools, 1st Floor

Men's Regular $5 OXFORDS
To Clear at **$3.95**

Advancing shoe prices suggest the wisdom of stocking up now for Spring and Summer. Smart style and conventional-type Oxfords in black or brown calfskin, in all shapes.
—Main Floor Shoe Dept.

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